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PERSONNEL OF CABINET ANNOUNCED

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN HEADS LIST.

William McAdoo of Tunnel Fame, for Treasury Portfolio.

JOSEPHUS DANIELS NAVY SECRETARY.

Albert Sidney Burleson of Texas, for Postmaster General.

Other Places in Wilson's Official Family Yet to be Filled.

MAKE-UP OF NEXT CABINET AS WASHINGTON SEES IT.

Conceded as selections:
Secretary of State .....
....WILLIAM J. BRYAN, Neb.
Secretary of the Treasury ..
..WILLIAM G. M'ADOO, N. Y.
Secretary of the Navy .....
..JOSEPHUS DANIELS, N. C.
Postmaster General .....
ALBERT S. BURLESON, Texas

Probable choice:
Attorney General .....
...EDWIN R. WALKER, N. J.

Under consideration:
Secretary of War .....
COL. GEO. W. GOETHALS.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The personnel of the cabinet of President Wilson, as partially made known last night by information reaching congressional quarters, stood today practically unchanged, namely:

Secretary of State—William J. Bryan, of Nebraska.

Secretary of the Treasury—William G. McAdoo, of New York.

Secretary of the Navy—Josephus Daniels, of North Carolina.

Postmaster General—Albert Sidney Burleson, of Texas.

Some published reports, including the name of Chancellor E. R. Walker, of New Jersey, as attorney general, were not confirmed. The information on which the four portfolios were definitely designated was of a positive character, but it did not include the name of Chancellor Walker. The inclusion of his name in some of the lists made public is based upon conjecture and is not in accord with the latest information reaching those in close communication with the new administration. Their advices are to the effect that while Chancellor Walker was considered, circumstances arose which are likely to eliminate him from the lists.

The elimination of Representative Mitchell Palmer, of Pennsylvania, and Robert L. Henry, of Texas, as cabinet possibilities, also became definitely established during the conferences held at the capitol early today. Mr. Palmer was tendered a cabinet position but declined it. He had been prominently mentioned as attorney general but as the tender did not cover this portfolio but another which he did not regard as in line with his line of work, he concluded to remain in the house of representatives where he will represent to a large extent the desires and policies of the new administration as affecting the tariff, currency and other legislation.

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN.
President-Elect Woodrow Wilson's choice for Secretary of State.

As to the interior department, word reaching here today was that the secretary for this department also had been definitely determined upon. While the name was not disclosed early in the day, it was said to be not any of those prominently mentioned in that connection. Secretary Fisher's name has been mentioned as a possible cabinet holdover but it is now stated that neither he nor any other member of the president's cabinet will remain. It will be a new cabinet from top to bottom.

Goethals May Be War Chief.

Colonel George W. Goethals, chief engineer and chairman of the Panama canal commission, is under consideration for secretary of war, according to information from other sources.

Some close friends of the incoming administration have felt that a lawyer should be chosen as head of the war department in view of the legal questions involved relating to the Panama canal, the Philippines and other important matters, and they point to the line of lawyers who have headed the department. Colonel Goethals' familiarity with the Panama canal, it is declared, however, has given him prominence in consideration for this portfolio.

Mr. McAdoo has been a strong "tip" for secretary of the treasury for two weeks. The president-elect was reported indisposed to pick his secretary of the treasury from New York. Kuhn, Loeb & Co. are reported to have acquired much of Mr. McAdoo's interest in the tunnels which bear his name, so supposedly he stands without financial affiliations that could embarrass a secretary of the treasury. No person is eligible for that position who is engaged in trade or commerce.

Washington, Feb. 26.—President Wilson and Vice President Marshall, when they view the marching, cheering cohorts in the inaugural parade March 4 will be surrounded by a distinguished gathering in the official reviewing stand erected in front of the White House grounds. In addition to the members and their families and their guests they will be surrounded by members of the supreme court, the diplomatic corps, the cabinet, senators and representatives, members of the courts of the District of Columbia, high officers of the army, navy and marine corps, the commissioners of the District of Columbia and leading officials who had the inaugural ceremonies in charge.

The finishing touches are being placed on the stand from which the incoming president will review the procession. The court of honor on which much care and attention has been expended, virtually has been completed, while the capital already is being buried beneath a wilderness of flags and bunting. The arrangements for the illumination are being pushed and a test of them, it is expected, will be made Saturday.

Special attention to the church which President Wilson may elect to worship at was revived today when a pamphlet describing historic spots was issued by the inaugural committee. It was noted therein that President Wilson who is a Presbyterian, had officiated here before he had entered political life, at the dedication of the Statue of John Witherspoon, located in front of the Presbyterian church of the Covenant. Witherspoon, besides being a signer of the Declaration of Independence was one of the founders of the Princeton University. Whether President Wilson's distant connection with this church will lead him to take membership therein is a matter of general conjecture.

It became known today that Mr. Palmer was offered the portfolio of secretary of war and based his declination upon the the fact that he is of Quaker ancestry, and could not in keeping with the traditions of his blood become the head of a war establishment. It also became known that Mayor Newton D. Baker, of Cleveland, also was offered one of the cabinet portfolios but refused it because he has great projects in mind for the city of Cleveland and preferred to remain free for their development.

Those best informed on the cabinet situation said today that President-elect Wilson has settled upon who could fill the posts of secretary of the interior, secretary of agriculture, secretary of commerce and labor and attorney general, but that it had not been determined how the four portfolios would be distributed among them.

It was said here today that there was a possibility that Mr. Palmer's [illegible] of the post of secretary of war might at the last moment cause a shift to put Mr. Daniels in that place. He had definitely been slated for secretary of the nevy. Talk of a cabinet place for Louis D. Brandeis, the Boston lawyer, was revived and some of those in the confidence of the president-elect went so far as to say positively that while they expected Mr. Brandeis would be in the cabinet, that he would not be attorney general. It was thought by most of them that the most likely place for Mr. Brandeis was in the department of commerce and labor. It was said that nothing definite had been determined upon the attorney generalship but that the man most prominently in the president-elect's consideration was a democrat who had done some anti-trust work. His name was not mentioned but it was said not to be ormer Solicitor General Frederick W. Lehmann. It was also stated here today with a great degree of positiveness that Mr. Burleson, who has been selected for postmaster general is the only member of congress who would be in the new cabinet. This disposes of many possibilities.

OVER MILLION DOLLARS GOEKE'S COMMITTEEMEN WOULD FINE OLEO MEN

Washington, Feb. 26.—Separate reports on the investigation of the controversy between the treasury department and manufacturers of oleomargarine as to the rate or their tax during 1911 and 1912, have been submitted to the house by the committee on treasury department expenditures.

Representative Cox, of Indiana, the chairman, has reported that the manufacturers used a colored cotton seed, known as Fulvas oil, golden yellow, butter oil, and other preparations, which subjected the product to ten cents a pound instead of one quarter of a cent. Mr. Cox recommended against acceptance by the department of $101,000 as compromise settlement and urged that the department fine the manufacturers $1,340,528.

Lima Lodge No. 91 K. of P. will

Representatives Goeke, Lobeck and Callaway, the majority of the committee, recommended that the department bring a test suit for the full amount, all the parties to agree to abide by the judgment.

Representative Hill and Young, the republican minority reported that the question of recovery was in the hands of the executive department but that if necessary there should either be a test case or a compromise of the whole matter.

JAMES A. MOFFETT OF THE STANDARD, DIES IN SOUTH.

Palm Beach, Fla., Feb. 26.—James A. Moffett, vice president of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, died this morning after a brief illness. He was born in Parkersburg, W. Va.

Mr. Moffett began life as a clerk in the Standard Oil offices at Parkersburg and rose through various positions to the vice presidency of the corporation. He leaves a widow, two sons and a daughter

DESTROYERS OF WORLD'S RECORDS WILL COMPETE.

New York, Feb. 26.—With the announcement today that Ira N. Davenport, of the Illinois Athletic Club has registered as a competitor in the 600-yard race at the National indoor championships of the Amateur Athletic Union to be held here March 6, one of the best middle distance races of the year is anticipated, as previous entries for this event includes such well known runners as Melvin Sheppard, Abel R. Kiviat, Matthew Halpin and Ted Meredith.

Davenport finished only inches behind Meredith and Sheppard in the record-breaking 800 metre race of the last Olympic games and even though beaten he was still inside the world's record.

PICKED UP HIS ARM AND STARTED OUT TO FIND A DOCTOR.

Ashtabula, O., Feb. 26.—With his right arm cut off yesterday when he fell from a train near Dubois, Pa., Martin L. Paulson, of this city, picked up the severed member, and walking a mile to a crossing watchman's shanty, asked that a doctor be summoned. The physician came, gave Paulson temporary attention, and then had him conveyed to a hospital, where it was announced that he will recover despite a severe loss of blood.

LOCAL OPTION LOSES OUT AGAIN FOR FOURTH TIME.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 26.—Local option failed again yesterday in the fourth consecutive legislative session in which it has been made an issue in this state. The Rockwell bill providing for units of counties and of municipalities of 10,000 population was defeated 121 to 83. In former years, wards, boroughs and townships were fixed as the voting units on the liquor question. In the vote yesterday, the local optionists made a gain of seven over the vote of 1911.

Members of the Anti-Saloon League declare that other anti-liquor bills will be introduced at the present session of the legislature and that they will fight for the election of representatives in 1914 who will favor their cause.

HAKKI FAILS TO PERSUADE

Turkish Soldier Sent to London on Behalf of His Country

MEETS DEAF EAR TO HIS ENTREATIES.

Weather Interferes With Hostilities in Balkan War.

Constantinople, Feb. 26.—The mission to London of Captain Ibrahim Hakki Pasha on behalf of the Ottoman government has failed. His object was to persuade the powers to support the claim of Turkey to the retention of Adrianople. He was, however, unable to prevail upon the powers to accept the Porte's note as a basis for fresh peace negotiations and he had no authority to go beyond the proposals contained in that document.

Although some members of the Turkish cabinet are in favor of peace the war element shows no tendency to weaken its attitude.

Military operations are still confined to skirmishes at various points along the front. Fighting on any extended scale is improbable for the present owing to the inclemency of the weather.

MOTHER DIES IN ATTEMPT TO SAVE HER CHILDREN.

Huntingdon, Pa., Feb. 26.—The wife of Howard Fisher, a carpenter, and three of her children were burned to death in their home in South Huntingdon. Mrs. Fisher had gone to a store a quarter of a mile distant. Upon her return the house was in flames. She frantically ran to a rear window and although seized by two men, succeeded in throwing herself bodily into the blazing interior. In this manner she met death with her little ones whom she was unable to save.

The husband was absent and an eight year old daughter who is deaf and dumb was the only one saved from the flames.

FAREWELL TO MARSHALL.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 26.—Vice President-elect Thomas R. Marshall today will be guest of honor at a farewell banquet tendered him by the Indiana Democratic club. Mr. Marshall will depart this afternoon for Trenton, N. J., where he will confer with President-elect Wilson. He will remain in Trenton until he goes to Washington for the inauguration.

EXPLOSION MUTILATES HUNDREDS

SEVEN THOUSAND POUNDS OF BLACK POWDER

Laid by Spanish Engineers for Purpose of Removing Boulder

SHATTERS ROCK; DEALS OUT DEATH

Large Crowds of Townspeople Gather to Witness the Event.

Hundreds of Tons of Clay and Stones Kill People by the Scores.

Gijon, Spain, Feb. 26.—Upwards of 200 people were killed or wounded by the ill timed explosion of a charge of 7,000 pounds of black powder which had been laid yesterday by government engineers with the object of raising an enormous block of rock.

An immense concourse of townspeople had gathered to witness the demolition of the hill separating Gijon from the coaling harbor of Musel, a mile and a half distant. The object of the operation was to cut a roadway and thus avoid the present long detour.

At the hour fixed the fuse was lighted and the explosion occurred. But instead of the rock being blasted, hundreds of tons of clay and small stones were hurled like artillery projectiles among the assembled spectators. Whole families were mowed down. Many of the engineers and municipal officials were killed. Twenty four bodies had been recovered at noon but it is considered certain that the total fatalities will far exceed this number.

COLONEL SCOTT HAS A HUNCH THAT THAW WAS BUNCOED

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 26.—Colonel Joseph F. Scott, superintendent of state prisons, has made a formal demand upon Governor Sulzer's committee of inquiry that it make a thorough investigation of the charges made by its former secretary, William F. Clark, on the stand yesterday that the so-called prison ring, which he alleged was made up of Superintendent Scott and "his immediate underlings," were engaged "in a conspiracy to involve the governor of the state so that they might be retained in their profitable business in brokerage pardons which they had conducted under Governor Dix."

Colonel Scott said today:

"My own opinion of this whole bribery story is that Thaw has been buncoed again by somebody."

The committee plans to go to Mattoawan state hospital tomorrow to question Thaw.

CASE OF SMALL POX AT WASHINGTON CAUSES A SHIVER.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Sore arms are not only the fashion in the bureau of chemistry of the agricultural department but they are a protection offered to the officials and employes against being forcibly seized and vaccinated. The excitement followed the discovery of a case of smallpox in the person of a negro laborer who had been suffering from the disease for three weeks. The case, however, was not an especially virulent one. In addition to wholesale vaccination Dr. Carl Alsberg, chief of the bureau, ordered that the bureau be thoroughly fumigated together with the clothes and personal belongings of everyone connected with that branch of the department. Two physicians with a large quantity of vaccine then promptly began operations on the large force of employes.

Several anti-vaccinationists who demurred were compelled to take their 16 days leaves of absence, whether they wanted to do so or not.

YOUNG BOY JOINS PARENTS IN DEATH BY ASPHYXIATION.

Marion, O., Feb. 26.—Twelve-year-old Leo Moran, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Moran and three-year-old brother Emmett, were found asphyxiated in their home yesterday, died at the city hospital last midnight. Another child, a twin girl in the family of eight children, is dying.

LAST HEART BEATS HEARD THROUGH A STETHOSCOPE.

Philadelphia, Feb. 26.—With a stethoscope applied to his ears, Karl W. Schneider, a manufacturer of surgical instruments, yesterday listened to his heart record its dying beats after he had pierced that organ with a steel lance. Near the body, which was discovered in the rear of his store, the police found a piece of paper on which was written the figures "1-2-3" and ending with "26." Deputy coroner McKeever believes this is the record of the pulsations Schneider had strength to record before his death. He was 48 years old and had been in poor health.

"P. T. BARNUM HAD THE RIGHT IDEA," SAME AS DOC SHAW

New York, Feb. 26.—Many women are making "pathetic sacrifices" in order to get to Washington to take part in the woman suffrage parade on March 3, according to the women in charge here of booking crusaders for three suffrage special trains which will leave New York for the capital between Saturday morning and Sunday night. Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, president of the National Woman Suffrage Association and other officers will leave on the first train to aid in the organization of forces in Washington.

Dr. Shaw is at work this week on a new college gown, on which she will wear the colors of all the colleges which have honored her with degrees.

HIS MEMORY POOR REGARDING THOSE BEASTLY VOUCHERS

Columbus, O., Feb. 26.—Former Adjutant General Weybrecht, who was a witness before the Gregory militia investigating committee today testified that personally he was opposed to the sending of a rifle team to participate in the international match held in France last summer but that he gave his consent after it had been approved by Governor Harmon and other state officials.

Mr. Weybrecht informed the committee that the method employed in sending the rifle team abroad was more expeditious than any other plan in that it effected a saving to the state of approximately $4,000.

Witnesses who preceded the former adjutant general on the stand testified that transportation vouchers were destroyed after they had been on file six months, by an order issued by Mr. Weybrecht. Today Mr. Weybrecht said he did not remember issuing such an order.

OF WHAT VALUE ARE GOOD LAWS IF NOT ENFORCED.

New York, Feb. 26.—The mayor of New York, two former mayors and a host of high officials in and out of official circles will help a committee of state legislators to frame legislation to meet the police situation in New York.

Hearings begun today before this committee will continue until the members feel themselves able to diagnose the recent police graft scandals and recommend laws to cure them.

Mayor Gaynor, former Mayor George B. McClellan and former District Attorney William T. Jerome are expected to give their views tomorrow.

ELDERS PROMPT SCHOOL CHILDREN IN DISOBEDIENCE.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 26.—Six hundred boys and girls out of a membership of 800 pupils at Gidding's school on East 71st street, went on a strike against classes early today. The move followed a strike vote taken yesterday by members of the Gidding's School Mothers' club, who declare that the school building is a menace to the life of every pupil in it.

Club members were on hand and directed the picketing of the school building by 200 of the striking pupils. Miss Mary Morrow, principal of the school, refused to recognize the strikers and threatened to have them arrested as truants.

SOMETHING CROOKED AT MATTEAWAN

REVEALED BY TESTIMONY OF SHYSTER LAWYER

Who Was Paid $25,000 for Arranging Freedom of Harry Thaw.

TALKED IT OVER WITH DR. RUSSELL

The Superintendent of New York's Greatest Hospital for Insane

Who Went Into Financial Phase of Case in the Savoy Bar.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 26.—John Nicholson Anhut, the lawyer accused by Dr. John W. Russell, superintendent of Matteawan hospital, of having offered him a bribe of $20,000 to release Harry K. Thaw, was a witness today before Governor Sulzer's committee of inquiry.

Mr. Anhut said he was admitted to the bar in Detroit in 1905. While in Michigan he was elected a state senator. He came to New York in 1912.

The witness said he knew Russell "very well." During last summer's Thaw hearings at White Plains he said they were together nearly every evening. "We were always talking about Thaw, Thaw's family, Thaw's counsel and Thaw's money" he said.

Anhut testified that E. A. Hoffman said to be Thaw's agent, called on him in New York last October and told him that Thaw wanted to see him "right away." He subsequently visited Thaw at Matteawan. "Dr. Russell told me," said Anhut, "that he had recommended me to Thaw. Hoffman called on me again on November 20 and paid me $25,000 under the following agreement: $12,500 to be returned January 1 unless the matter (Thaw's release) was consummated; the remainder to be returned July 1 unless Thaw was released by that date.

"I was in a quandary as to just how to proceed. I knew the man I wanted was Dr. Russell. I telephoned him and he come down the next day. He told me he had never been in a hansom cab, so I ordered one. We rode to the Savoy and had a couple of drinks—they were better than soda water. We talked informally about Thaw. I told Dr. Russel about my retainer, how much it was, and the circumstances.

"In the course of his conversation he told me he released about 25 per cent of the inmates of Matteawan each year."

"I told Dr. Russell that I would like to get some alienists to examine Thaw. He thereupon said: 'My boy, you don't want to do that. It is too soon after the other hearing. You want to wait a while.' I didn't like that, but he had recommended me and I wanted to cater to him."

Anhut said the matter dragged until the middle of December.

"On December 16 I telephoned him again and he came down to see me.

"I asked if he had prepared a list of alienists for me as I had requested. He replied that he had not. Then he said:

"'What do you want alienists for anyway? I'm as good as half a dozen alienists.'

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SOCIALIST EDITOR IS JAILED FOR ATTEMPT TO INCITE A RIOT

Akron, O., Feb. 26.—Frank Midney, editor of a Socialist paper in Youngstown, O., was arrested here today on a charge of attempting to incite a riot. He has been prominent since the rubber strike started as an Industrial Workers of the World leader.

When strike pickets tried to form an endless chain about the Goodrich plant this morning, they were opposed by a squad of regular and special police. It is claimed that Midney urged the strikers to resist the police. He was promptly arrested and locked up, and will be given a hearing tomorrow.

Encouraged by the senate resolution to investigate the Akron rubber companies, the strike leaders last night issued a special proclamation asking that pickets turn out in large numbers this morning. The appeal did not meet with ready response, however, and the number of pickets on duty was relatively small.

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SKIRT CAVALRY COMMANDED BY COL. GENEVIEVE.

Washington, Feb. 26.—A small army division of "petticoat cavalry" and feminine infantry will march out to greet suffragette "hikers," who today will leave Baltimore for Washington on the last lap of their long tramp from New York. The welcoming "army" will be under the protection of a detail of police who will see that the small boys along the route are kept from annoying the reception brigade.

"Colonel" Genevieve Wimsatt will be in command of the cavalry which will lead the column. The petticoat cavalry will be followed by the Tramping club, an organization of girls from a fashionable seminary of the capital and a force of between 200 and 300 suffragists under the command of Mrs. Lawrence Lewis Jr., of Philadelphia. There also will be a number of leading suffragists in automobiles.

FRANK GRANT NOW CAPTAIN

Appointment Announced by Safety Director Blank This Morning.

McCOY TAKES FORMER POST.

New Captain Has Been in the Service Almost Eleven Years.

Patrolman Frank Grant was this morning appointed by Safety Director Blank as captain of the Lima police department, succeeding former Captain S. A. Earnst, who was elevated over a month ago to the position of chief of the department. Patrolman Charles McCoy, who has been acting as captain since the promotion of Earnst, will return to night duty as plainclothesman. The changes take effect at once.

The names of Patrolmen Frank Grant and Ira Sayder and Sergeant Bacome, the three highest on the eligible list, were certified to Blank this morning for appointment as captain by the civil service commission at his request. The safety director appointed Grant immediately upon receiving the names, and certified his appointment to the city auditor, so that he could be entered on the payroll of the department as captain.

Thus ends a long drawn-out war between the safety director and the members of the civil service commission, in which the former clung to his position that he would not appoint a permanent captain until he had been furnished with an authenticated copy of the rules and regulations of the civil service commission.

Printed copies of the rules were issued from the press Monday, and a copy mailed at once to the safety director. McCoy was Blank's personal choice for the place, but he was barred from holding the position because he had not served five continuous years in the department, as prescribed in the rules. McCoy has made an efficient captain during his short time in office, and it is a source of much regret to his superiors that he could not continue in that capacity.

Frank Grant, the new captain of police, is one of the oldest members of the force, and was appointed in June, 1902, by Lewis H. Rogers, then mayor of Lima. He has served continuously in the department since that time, and has a splendid record as an officer and a gentleman. Of late, he has been assigned to desk duty, and since the elevation of Earnst to chief, has been acting as night desk sergeant. His salary as captain of police will be $960 a year, an increase of $120 over his salary as patrolman.

SHAWNEE TWP FARMER DEAD

Prominent Gardner and Citizen Passed Away Last Evening.

DEATH'S CALL CAME TO FRANK KELLER.

Funeral at Shawnee Chapel at Two O'clock on Friday.

Frank H. Keller, one of the foremost citizens of Shawnee township, passed away at his home last evening at shortly after 6 o'clock. For a long time Mr. Keller has been a sufferer with bright's disease, but it has only been within the past two weeks that his condition has been considered serious by his friends and relatives. Throughout his entire life he has been a resident of Allen county. He was born on the 23rd of December, 1860, and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Keller.

The deceased was one of the most popular, as well as one of the most influential citizens of Shawnee township. He was a farmer and gardener, living with his family on the Spencerville road, about 1 mile west of the intersection with the Wapakoneta road. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife and four children, two sons and two daughters, Howard E. and Eldon Keer of Lima; Mrs. Alma Zuber of Shawnee, and Miss Marie Keller, still at home. The funeral services will be held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the Shawnee chapel. The interment will be made in Shawnee cemetery.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. C. E. Meyer, of south Elizabeth street, and Mrs. A. Shank, of west North street, have returned from a short stay with friends in Cleveland.

Misses Edna Neely and Margaret Golley have returned from St. Marys, where they attended the announcement party, given by Miss Jessie Neely, making known her approaching marriage to Attorney Freeman Eagleson, of Akron, and where they were guests at numerous other social affairs while in St. Marys.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Randolph, of 1009 west Elm street, February 15, a son. He has been named William Farnham Randolph.

Mrs. L. W. Staley, of Bucyrus, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Castledine, of east Elm street, returned yesterday to her home, after a pleasant visit.

Rev. C. H. Eckhart and wife and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Burkhardt have returned from Warren county, where they were called in connection with the sale of the Dearth farm, in which Mrs. Eckhart and Mrs. Burkhardt had an interest. The farm had been in possession of the Dearth family for over a century, and is regarded as one of the most valuable farms in Warren county.

Joseph Patterson, cashier at the Western Ohio offices, is laid up at his home on McPheron avenue with an attack of quinsy.

Mrs. LaMonte Cowles, wife of the Hon. Senator Cowles, of Iowa, spent some time in Lima this morning. She has been visiting friends in Bellefontaine, and was on her way to Chicago.

Miss Marie Planton arrives in Lima this afternoon to spend some time with he rcousin, Mrs. C. S. Baxter, of west Market street.

MAN KILLED ON RAILROAD

Brakeman on the Erie Met Death While at Work Last Evening.

G. F. SANXTER WAS UNFORTUNATE MAN

Relatives and Home Are Not Known. Member of B. of R. T.

G. F. Sanxter, a brakeman in the employ of the Erie railroad, was caught between the rear of the tender of a backing engine and a cut of freight cars, last evening, and crushed to death. He was standing on the rear footboard, and it seems was not cognizant of the cars toward which his engine was backing. Before he had an opportunity to escape and absolutely without warning, the engine and the cars came together. The unfortunate man was caught, his head was crushed, his chest and body were badly bruised, as were his legs.

No further details have reached here. All that is known is that he was on the back of the engine, and that this engine and tender were backing into a pocket. In another instant the brakeman was picked up, a torn and bleeding mass of flesh. He did not regain conscientiousness.

Who the victim is, further than his name, is not known to the authorities who have the matter in hand. He has been in the employ of the Erie only for several months, and all the officials know is his name. He was at the time of his horrible death the signet ring of the B. of R. T., and it is thought that this organization will succeed in locating the home of the unfortunate man. No other clew than this is held by the officials. The man had $12 in his pockets, as well as a gold watch. This latter was stopped at 9:02, thus establishing the exact time of the accident. As soon as death relieved the man's sufferings a call was sent to Lima for Dr. Curtis, the coroner. He went immediatey to the scene, but was unable to find out any new facts. It is to be hoped that in some manner his family may be reached. Every effort along that line is now being made.

WILHELMINA:
Better use Gold Medal Flour.
YOURS.

ROBBERY OF CIGAR STORE

Rear Door of Hoffman Cigar Store Pried Open Last Night.

CIGARETTES AND PIPES STOLEN.

Police Working on Case, but So Far Have Developed No Clue.

Undaunted because of their failure to accomplish their purpose Monday evening, youthful thieves last evening pried open the rear door to the W. J. Hoffman cigar store on north Main street, and helped themselves to a quantity of pipes and cigarettes which had been left in a front case.

The robbery was not discovered until 6 o'clock this morning, when the clerk opened the store for business. The police were at once notified, and detectives put to work on the case. It is believed that the robbery was committed by young boys who are familiar with the premises. No clue has developed yet that would lead to the identity of culprits.

The value of the stolen goods will not exceed $15. A search through the stock disclosed four valuable pipes missing, and several packages of Asonia cigarettes. The case was not locked, so it was an easy matter to get to the contents after an entrance was gained to the store.

Yesterday morning, the clerk discovered a huge six-inch plank against the rear door when he opened the stone, and the condition of the outside of the door indicated that some one had tried to force it open. Extra precaution was taken in locking the door last evening, but the thieves managed to break in with little trouble.

The Hoffman cigar store is located on north Main street, just south of the Maus piano store. At police headquarters this morning, it was stated that no report had been made of the robbery, but it was afterward learned that detectives were at work on the case.

LIMA GIRLS VS. BLUFFTON

Fast Basketball Game is Announced for Friday Afternoon.

LOCALS ARE OUT LOOKING FOR GORE

Swear to Avenge Their Defeat at Bluffton Last Week.

Friday afternoon the Lima high school girls' basket ball team will meet the Bluffton high school team on the Auditorium floor here. At this time an effort will be made on the part of the Lima girls to retrieve the honors that they lost at Bluffton last week, when they were defeated by this same team by a score of 11 to 4. The Lima girls are confident that on their home floor, and with all of their regular team in the line-up they will succeed in trimming the visitors by a neat score.

The Lima girls are in the best of condition, and now that they have been playing for some time, are thoroughly familiar with all the ins and outs of the game. They believe that they will succeed in handing out a defeat, and at the same time showing the Lima people a very high class of basketball. The Bluffton girls make themselves conspicuous on the floor by dressing in Indian costume.

Miss Moran, the manager of the local girls' team, announces that unless the game Friday afternoon is supported by a larger number of people they will be forced to discontinue the home games. They have been losing money, and will hereafter play only out of town games if they lose on Friday's game. The line-up will be: B. Thomson, (Capt.); G. Spannagle, cf; C. Graham, f; F. Priest, f; F. Morrison, g; Helene Spannagle, g. The game will be called at 3:30.

THE IDLER.

County Clerk C. A. Graham, left for Columbus this morning, where, as chairman of the committee, will assign the counties to which the State Agricultural Experiment Station exhibit will visit the various county fairs, the coming year.

The committee is composed of C. A. Graham, chairman, Lima, Ohio; R. Y. Waite, Zanesville, Ohio; Frank Plessinger, Greenville, Ohio; O. J. Miller, Mt. Gilead, Ohio; R. R. Grieve Xenia, Ohio.

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If You Feel Fagged to a Finish and Utterly Used Up Here is Quick Relief.

Don't Be Chained to the Hitching Post of Wearyland.

Half the people you meet complain of weary muscles, stagnant brain, jangled nerves, and a mournful desire to lay down and just quit. Most of these people have been using nervines that spasmodically flare up the nerves only to die down again, as die they must. Avoid nerve stimulants. Bear in mind that this worn out feeling is due to poor blood, to bacteria in the water you drink; to the multiplying of destructive germs in the blood faster than they can be overcome by the white corpuscles; and to what is known as auto-toxemia, that condition where the venous or impure blood accumulates faster than it can be replaced by the red arterial blood.

If you feel played out go to any drug store and ask for a bottle of S. S. S., Swift's Sure Specific. Here is a remedy that gets at work in a twinkling; it just naturally rushes right into your blood, scatters germs right and left, up and down and sideways.

You feel better at once, not from a stimulant, not from the action of drugs, but from the rational effect of a natural medicine just as active and just as timely as to a man who has been lost in the mountains, is about starved and comes across a settler just cooking a savory meal of good honest beef. Do not neglect to get a bottle of S. S. S. to-day. It will make you feel better in just a few minutes. It is prepared only in the laboratory of The Swift Specific Co., 127 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. Send for their free book telling of the many strange conditions that afflict the human family by reason of impoverished blood.

MAN FELL TO CEMENT FLOOR

Workman at Gas Plant Injured Last Night When Wrench Slipped.

HERBERT AURAND PAINFULLY HURT

Was Rushed to City Hospital Where Doctors Attended.

Herbert Aurand, of 676 north Jackson street, fell from the top of one of the boilers at the Lima Gas Works last night, dislocating a number of small bones and tearing some of the ligaments on the right foot. He is the night engineer at the plant of the gas company on south Jackson street, and last night was on top of this boiler tightening a steam valve. The monkey-wrench which he was using slipped from its hold upon the valve, and the workman, losing his balance fell heavily to the cement floor, nine feet below. He was placed in the automobile of Dr. Steer as soon as the doctor arrived, and taken to the hospital. Some little pain about the side gives the doctor a little alarm as to the probability of internal injuries. These, if they exist, have not yet been located.

Dr. King's New Discovery
Soothes irritated throat and lungs, stops chronic and hacking cough, relieves tickling throat, tastes nice. Take no other; once used, always used. Buy it at H. F. Vortkamp's.

ELIDA.

Thos. Tibbott, wife and two daughters, of Delphos, spent Sunday with the former's mother.

George P. Bible will give the next number of the lecture course at the M. E. church on Friday evening, February 28. He is a Shakespearean reader and impersonator and comes highly recommended. He has delighted our people once before and now is the opportunity for all to hear him.

Mrs. J. W. Madden has been very ill, threatened with pneumonia for several days. On Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Maxon, of Middlepoint, were guests at the Madden home and on Tuesday, Mrs. Maxon spent the day with them.

Master James Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Miller is suffering with pneumonia.

Lester Bechtol, wife and son, of Gomer, were over-Sunday guests of A. F. Bechtol and wife.

Elain Ward has been quite ill for the past few days, but is now improving.

Howard Peltier and wife, of Scott's Crossing spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Noah Shoemaker and children were Sunday guests at her mother's home, in Gomer.

Milton Lehman and Harry Furry were Sunday visitors in Lima at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lehman.

G. L. Brunk and wife, with a party of Middlepoint folks, were in Van Wert, Tuesday evening.

W. E. Onstott is in Chicago, Ill., again, for a few days.

W. W. Strayer of Lima, called on his mother, Sunday.

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WITH some of the season's latest styles in Rugs and Curtains
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LIMA TIMES-DEMOCRAT, LIMA, OHIO

G. V. Barnt, wife and two children spent Sunday at the country home of Mr. Barnt's parents.

The six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gallaspie, of Middle River, was severely burned last Saturday evening. The family were preparing to move to another house and when the father stepped from one room into another he found the child in flames. She started to run upstairs but he caught her and rolled a rug about her. So frantic was she that she freed herself from this and started up the stairs again only to be caught by her father who was trying to deaden the fire. She is seriously but not critically burned.

Mrs. Jesse Brenneman and little daughter, of Lima, spent Sunday at the country home of her parents, Hiram Hoover and wife.

Halleck Stemen, of Toledo, was home Sunday.

Bert Conrad is again confined to his home by illness.

Ferdinand Buchanan spent Sunday with Lima relatives.

Mrs. (Dr.) Taut and daughter and Mrs. Milda Huffer were Sunday guests of Mrs. W. A. Davis.

Mrs. W. H. C. Monroe returned home Sunday after several visit with Cincinnati relatives.

Rev. Hook closed a three series of meetings at the church on Sunday emening.

Henry Van Gunten, of Lima, here on business, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. John Reedy has from a visit with relatives in ton, O., and Indianapolis, Ind.

Bessie and Sabre Miller over-Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank felter, of Lima.

Mrs. Willis Grubaugh, of Miss Jennie and Chester Gru of Middlepoint, were guests and Mrs. Eli Myers over Sunday.

Waverly Crites, of Crider called on friends here, Monday.

Stephen Stemen, section fo on the Pennsylvania, had the fortune Friday to have a piece steel from the sledge he was penetrate into his right limb cause considerable pain. It the physician some time to the piece.

Mrs. Dave Kesler and dau of Lima, spent Sunday at the try home of her parents, Wm. and wife.

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Gray Faded Hair, or Beautiful Dark Attractive-Choose, Madam!

SAYS SAGE TEA MIXED WITH SULPHUR RESTORES NATURAL COLOR AND LUSTRE.

Gray, faded hair turned beautifully dark and lustrous almost over night, a reality, if you'll take the trouble to mix sage tea and sulphur, but that's the use, you get a large bottle of the ready-to-use tonic, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy" at drug stores here for about 50 cents. Millions of bottles of "Wyeth's" are sod annually, says a well-known druggist, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. Those whose hair is turning gray, becoming faded, dry, scraggly and thin, have a surprise awaiting them because after just one application the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful—a dandruff goes, scalp itching and falling hair stops.

This is the age of youth, gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with the Sage and Sulphur tonight and you'll be amazed at your youthful appearance and the real beauty and healthy condition of your hair within a few days. Inquiry at drug stores here shows that they all sell lots of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur" and the folks using it are enthusiastic. H. F. Vortkamp

TWO AGREE TO OPPOSE CESSATION

SWAIN AND GREEN DO NOT SANCTION A VACATION.

Members of Ohio Legislature Desire to Witness Inauguration.

SPEAKER OF HOUSE SAYS HE'LL FINE 'EM

Unless They in Some Manner Procure Formal Excuse.

Little Willie and His School Ma'am Have Nothing on Ohio Solons.

Columbus, O, Feb. 26.—Both Speaker Swain of the house and Majority Floor Leader Green of the senate are ready to oppose any planned adjournment of the assembly next week to allow members to attend the inauguration at Washington. Messrs. Swain and Green have reached an agreement to oppose any cessation of work and it is understood that they have the support of Governor Cox. Meantime a resolution by Senator Lloyd, of Columbus, to have the assembly cease work during next Monday, Tuesday and most of Wednesday is pending in the senate and will have to face the fire of the democratic floor leader. If the assembly votes against a partial vacation next week those legislators desiring to go to Washington will have to be formally excused or pay a penalty of $10 for each day they are not in Columbus.

The Cunningham agricultural commission bill was vigorously opposed today by men interested in agricultural work in the state at a hearing before the senate agricultural committee.

The committee was urged to delay action on the measure until the farmers were given an opportunity to study the bill and decide whether or not they were in favor of it.

Referring to Governor Cox's idea of concentration for the sake of economy, W. I Chamberlain, of Hudson, Ohio, a former member of the board of gariculture and one of the founders of the experiment station at Wooster, declared that some one had misinformed the governor as to the duplication of work of the different agricultural departments.

"There is absolutely no duplication," he said.

D. C. Laylin, of Norwalk, Ohio, master of the Ohio Grange, told the committee that the placing of the agricultural affairs of the state in the nands of a commission would tend to make the various departments less efficient

Just preceding opening of debate on the Green compulsory workingmen's compensation bill by the lower house of the legislature today, friends of the measure claimed 95 votes for the passage of the bill in its present form. They declared that sentiment was so strong that the bill need not be amended.

It is the wish of the administration that the bill be passed and placed in the hands of the governor for his signature by the latter part of this week.

Members of the house and senate joint liquor license committee declared today that they probably will not attempt to amend the license code prepared by the sub-committee, and that it will be reported out to the senate and recommended for passage tomorrow. An attempt probably will be made to make it a special order for some time next week.

The Diser house join resolution proposing a constitutional amendment providing for the recall of all public officials including judges, was voted out of the house judiciary committee today without recommendation

The house committee on labor voted today to report out Mr. Chapman's double platoon firemen's bill with recommendation for passage in spite of the fact that Governor Cox told the author of the bill, who is also chairman of the committee just before the committee meeting that in his opinion the bill came clearly within the rule against legislation within the domain of home rule provision of the new constitution.

"I have no doubt that the governor will veto it if it is passed," said Mr. Chapman.

"Let him veto it," said several members of the committee, and it was sent out at once with a favorable recommendation, but two votes being cast against it.

School Board Bill.

Columbus, O., Feb 26 —The Jung small school board bill which will affect every municipality in Ohio having more than seven members in its board of education was recommended fo rpassage today by the senate committee on public education The bill provides that all school board members must be elected at large and that no board may have less than five members or more than seven. An amendment probably will be offered on the senate floor to allo wboards to have as few as three members.

The "white slave" bill of Representative Cooper of Mahoning county, which passed the house, has run against snags in the senate judiciary committee During a consideration of the measure today several members of the senate committee expressed the opinion that the bill would make blackmailing an extremely profitable business in Ohio since they held that it would make possible a penitentiary sentence for any man accompanying a woman or girl to an improper place either with or without her consent. "That would open wide the doors of blackmail," commented Chairman Friebolin, of the committee. The bill probably will be re-written.

AMBULANCE TRIPS.

The Whitley ambulance removed Mrs. Jack Skully from the city hospital to her home at 1004 north Main street

Act Quickly

Don't wait until you have some ailment caused by poor digestion, biliousness, or by inactive bowels which may lead to a serious sickness. Immediate relief is afforded by that best corrective and preventive

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Thursday, Friday and Saturday we offer those who care to purchase a nice winter coat or tailored suit at about half the cost price. It's a shame to sacrifice such fine garments, but rather than carry them over, we offer coats and suits in all the new materials at the following prices. If you can't pay all cash, a deposit will hold your purchase. Come quick for we only have a few left.

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ANY COAT IN OUR STORE that sold at from $20 to $27.50, very fine, last chance. Sale Price **$9.75**

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If you are having any sewing done, it is to your interest to let us furnish the trimmings.

PROGRAM OF MUCH BEAUTY

Is That Which Will be Given at Trinity Church Tomorrow.

WOMEN'S MUSIC CLUB GIVES THE RECITAL

With Mrs. Adolph Hahn and Manning Pendery as Artists.

The following is the program to be given upon the occasion of the matinee organ recital at Trinity Methodist Episcopal church Thursday afternoon, beginning at three o'clock, by Mrs Adolph Hahn, of Cincinnati, assisted by Mr. J. Manning Pendery, baritone:

Organ—
a. Prelude and Fuge, F Minor.. .... Bach
b. Andante from 5th Symphony.. .... Beethoven

Voice—
Aric—Vision Fugitive (from Herodiade) .....Massenet

Organ—
Chant Pastorale
In Paradise .....Dubois
Rondo Capriccio .....Lemare

Organ—
a. Reverie du Loir .....St. Saens
b. Christmas Pastoral .... Lefebure-Wely
c. Idylle ....Schulhoff
d The Answer .....Weistenholm
e. Pilgrims' Chorus (by request) ....Wagner

Voice—
New Heaven and New Earth (from Holy City) .....Gaul

Organ—
Fantassy on Swiss Melodies and Tempest in the Alps .... Breitenbach

Voice—
a. Waldemsamkeit .....Reger
b. The Pretty Creature .....Wilson
c. Moonlight Witchery ....Novacek
d. Over the Desert .....Kelli

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Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

LOCAL TWIRLER SIGNS CONTRACT.

Emmett Hennessey Will Receive a Tryout With Ludington (Mich.) Team This Spring.

Another Lima ball player will try to win his professional spurs with the opening of the present season. Emmett Hennessey, the crack local amateur twirler, has signed a contract to play with the Ludington team in the Michigan league for the coming season, and will report for his tryout early in April. He is confident that he will win a regular berth on the Ludington pitching staff, and his work will be watched with interest by his friends back home.

Hennessey was regarded by competent critics last year as the most likely young twirler in the city, and the statement was repeatedly made that he would hold his own in professional company He defeated some of the crack semi-professional teams in northwestern Ohio last season, and took the scalp of the various amateur teams in this city with little trouble.

He is a lad of good habits, and with any kind of a show, will make good at Ludington. He is already in training, and expects to report to his club in the pink of condition.

THE ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

The Associated Charities will meet Friday at Memorial hall to distribute supplies to the needy and also to receive donations from anyone who wishes to contribute. Articles will be sent for by calling New phone C-1040 or 486 We wish to thank the following ones for donations sent in the past week: Mrs. Henry Deisle Sr., Mrs. Maltbie, and Mrs. Grosjean, clothing; Mr. Bolman, groceries; Mrs. Carl Boone, $10.00; Deisel-Wemmer Co., $50.00.

VACANCY IN WATER WORKS.

Charles McCoy Resigns Position as Meter Inspector to Join Staff at Bluem's Store.

No successor has as yet been appointed to Charles McCoy, who resigned his position as meter inspector in the Lima water works department to accept a position at Bluem's store The appointment will be made by Director Morris within the next few days.

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THE WEATHER.

Columbus, O., Feb. 26.—Forecast for Ohio:

Rain in south; snow or rain in north portion tonight; warmer in east portion; Thursday fair and colder.

REMEDY FOR "MONEY TRUST."

Whether the Pujo committee, which investigated the "Money Trust," will get a report before congress is a matter of doubt in the minds of some Washington correspondents. It does not so much matter whether a report is submitted, because the whole country has followed the investigation, and every man knows that there is a dangerous concentration of money and credit power in New York. Students of the question realize that this condition is due to our antiquated banking system, which permits the redepositing of country banks reserves with the big banks, and makes Stock Exchange securities the only liquid basis of credit. The way to put an end to the danger is by reforming the system which is at fault for it.

BOILER PLATE CAMPAIGN.

An organization of employers in Cleveland has arranged to conduct a "boiler plate" campaign through the newspapers against the Green Workmen's Compensation bill, which as an administration measure, is backed by the governor, his party, labor organizations and a majority of Ohio employers, who are familiar with the contents of the bill. A substitute measure has been drafted and it is to be offered in the house.

Plate containing reading matter derogatory to the Green bill will be manufactured and offered free of charge to the publishers of newspapers in every county of the state, the bill being paid by the Cleveland organization of employers. The newspapers will be asked to donate portions of their space to a movement which, it was openly charged about the legislative halls, was inaugurated to create sentiment in favor of a bill that the private liability insurance companies want.

The governor is interested in the subject of workmen's compensation and the Green bill is sanctioned by him and members of the general assembly, who considered the subject with him. The question to be decided is whether the people prefer a bill approved by the governor—their duly elected representative at Columbus—to a measure that was drafted in the interest of concerns fighting to prevent the loss of dividends earned through fortunate risks on accidents and deaths.

GOV. COX MOVED SWIFTLY.

The following by Hon. William Jennings Bryan was printed in bold type across the front page of The Commoner, of February 21, 1913:

"The democrats who, as the result of the congressional and senatorial elections, are entering official life should learn quickly that the secret of success in public life is to have no secrets from the public."

Those who have been following developments at the state capital in Columbus know the above counsel was not needed in this state, for there was never another governor so frank and open with the people as is Hon. James M. Cox. Does any one know of any live state issue, the position of the governor on which is unknown? No! No one has been left to doubt where the state executive stands on a single subject of state-wide interest.

Contrast his action when the charge was made to him that irregularities had been committed in the state department of banks and banking, with what was done during the regimes of republicans when charges reflecting upon republican state officials were filed. Then it was the policy to cover up the accusations and to shield the wrong-doers.

Governor Cox proceeded swiftly and effectively when charges of wrong-doing were brought to his attention. He did not want graft to get a foot-hold in his administration.

Instead of withholding from the public the accusations against the banking department, the governor, the very next day after he was inaugurated, directed Attorney General Hogan to make an investigation. There was no secret about it. Persons under suspicion were notified and given every opportunity to clear themselves. That investigation has resulted in disclosures that are being widely published. The governor is not scourging any one. He is merely seeking light. If there is any graft in the state government he wants it up-rooted. He wants suspicion lifted from the innocent suspected of wrong-doing, and the guilty punished.

REGULATING EXCHANGE TRADING.

With James A. Patten fined $4000 for operating a "corner" in cotton, the Chicago board of trade to be prosecuted for a feature of its regulations which is alleged to be a plain violation of the anti-trust law; the New York stock exchange adopting more effective rules for preventing manipulation of the market for securities, and the New York legislature considering several measures for the suppression of wrongful practices on Wall street—truly public sentiment seems finally to have reached a stage in which progress is making toward eliminating some of the bad features of trading exchanges and making them in fact what they claim to be—institutions for facilitating honest trade.

There is no question that the stock exchanges, the cotton exchanges and boards of trade perform functions that are essential for the economical transaction of the business in which their members are engaged, and for which the exchanges were organized. At the same time the masses of people who have no direct relations with the business of the exchanges are convinced that an immense amount of gambling and manipulation goes on there, giving unearned fortunes to some men and causing a great amount of losses to others, involving demoralizing temptations to men seeking quick riches without service to the community. Much of the legislation that has been attempted in the past twenty-five years has failed because it has not been well considered and would have been destructive of the good as well as the bad features of their business. Now, however, regulative measures both from within the exchanges, and through legislation, promise to be along lines that will be really effective in curbing the bad features of the business on the exchanges of the country.—Kansas City Times.

FIGHT FOR LIBERTY.

Columbus, O., Feb. 26 The application of ex-Senator George K. Cotone, of Dayton, for permission to file an appeal from the judgment of the Franklin county circuit court, which affirmed his conviction for bribery, will be argued before the supreme court tomorrow. Attorney General Hogan and Prosecuting Attorney Turner will oppose the granting of the application.

DEATH NOT OFFICIALLY CONFIRMED

ALTHOUGH RUMORS OF EMILIA MADERO'S TRAGIC END

State That Former President's Brother Was Shot Down

IN AN ATTEMPT TO REACH REBEL LINES.

Huerta Shows Intention to Rule Mexico With an Iron Hand.

American Troops Will Arrive at Texas Frontier This Evening.

No official confirmation was received today of the reported death of Emilio Madero, brother of the late ex-president, who was said to have been shot dead near Monterey while attempting to join the rebels at Nuevo Laredo.

The representatives of the foreign powers generally have formally accepted the official version of the deaths of ex-President Francisco Madero and ex-Vice President Jose Pino Suarez. The investigation instituted by the government continued today.

The situation in the federal capital has not undergone any change. Reports from numbers of districts today indicated that most of the rebel leaders are inclined to co-operate with the new administration.

The appointment of prominent army men as governors of states is taken to mean that Huerta intends to rule with a firm hand

No anxiety is felt in government circles as to the attitude of the three southeastern states (Tabasco, Campeche and Yucatan) which have not yet formally signified their adherence to the government. It is thought as soon as direct communication can be secured those states will fall into line.

Change Expected.

Vera Cruz, Mexico, Feb. 26.—Reports involving the sincerity of the expressions of loyalty made to the new administration by General Velasco, military commander of Vera Cruz, were sent to Provisional President Huerta today. The charges are expected to result in an immediate change in the military command here. It is anticipated that Colonel Jose Diaz Ordaz, who was an adherent of Felix Diaz at the time of his first revolt here will be named as successor to General Velasco who will be transferred to a post in the interior.

Counted the Money.

Mexico City, Feb. 26.—The departure from Mexico of Ernesto Madero former minister of finance was followed immediately by a hurried counting of the cash in the government treasury The result showed a balance of $92,000. This amount, however, does not represent all immediately available resources of the new administration, as there are various deposits in both local and foreign banks which can be drawn on by the government.

Situation More Quiet.

Washington, Feb. 26.—With prospect of armed opposition to the new provisional government in Mexico reduced to a few small threatened uprisings by followers of the late President Madero, it is the opinion of the administration officials here that chances for the use of the military arm to protect American interests have greatly diminished.

The concentration of troops at Galveston will continue but admittedly the purpose is now principally to test the working of the new system of army re-organization. Major General Carter, commander of the second division, due to arrive in Galveston within the next 24 hours will take the opportunity afforded by the assembly of a complete division of troops to put them through their paces, thus affording the various regimental and brigade commanders practically their first opportunity to direct the movements of the large bodies of the men that would fall to their command in time of war. If the complete division is assembled in Galveston, at Texas City, about seven miles distant, and in the camp just opened near Houston before the end of the present week, the military experts feel that they will have accomplished a creditable feat.

On the whole, Secretary Stimson feels very proud of the record made up to this point when by the issue of a single order to Major General Carter the second division commander, the entire body of men was set in motion whereas, under the old plan the adjutant general's department was obliged to send hundreds of telegrams to as many individual commanding officers, all the way from Major Generals down to a Captain, to begin the mobilization. Under the new system, too, the quartermaster general had already assembled at the proper point of embarkation all the supplies needed for a campaign.

Madero Women Embark.

Vera Cruz, Mexico., Feb. 26.—Senora Francisco I. Madero, Jr., and Senora Francisco I. Madero, Sr., wife and mother of the late president of Mexico, arrived here on a special car from Mexico City. They were escorted by the Cuban minister and went immediately on board the Cuban gunboat Cuba. There they met Francisco I. Madero, Sr., and Ernesto Madero, who arrived yesterday. As soon as the party had gone on board, the Cuba sailed for Havana.

The arrival of the two women had been kept strictly secret Their departure from Mexico was with the consent of the Mexican government.

The members of the Madero family intend to remain in Havana for some days and will then go to New Orleans. Their ultimate destination is Europe.

Colquitt Skeptical.

Austin, Texas, Feb 26.—"Cessation of apparent hostilities at Matamoras and Brownsville is but temporary, I believe," declared Governor Colquitt, of Texas, today. "To one not understanding the situation thoroughly the action of this office might be misconstrued. For the past few days telegrams and letters have been received by me requesting protection and aid, not only from people in the vicinity of Brownsville and Matamoras, but all along the border. Every possible means of securing protection from federal troops was resorted to with no success. The requests for aid continued to pour into headquarters here and it was necessary to do something to protect the people of that section, their property and interests."

The governor said he felt that the secretary of war and officials at Washington did not fully realize the situation along the border General E Z. Steever in command of the federal troops at San Antonio, it was understood, suggested to Wahsington the advisability of border guards, but received no reply

The American consul in Matamoras appealed to the Texas ranger force for assistance, according to reports reaching here last night and this was partly responsible for the order to Texas national guardsmen to go to Brownsville

GLAD HAND TO BROTHER CIP

Cubans Gush Profusely Over Former Venezuelan President.

MAYOR OF HAVANA LENDS HIS MUSIC.

Joins General Reyes, Another Latin American Expatriot.

Havana, Cuba, Feb. 26.—General Cipriano Castro, former dictator of Venezuela, arrived here today on board the steamer Saratoga from New York, and was greeted enthusiastically by the populace. No opposition was offered to his landing. The immigration officials afforded him all possible facilities.

A flotilla of tugs and launches, crowded with people went out to meet the Saratoga off Morro Castle and accompanied her to her anchorage. On board one tug was the Municipal band, lent by the mayor of Havana, which played the Cuban and Venezuelan national anthems. Another tug was occupied by a committe of Cuban veterans.

General Castro landed on San Francisco wharf where 500 people were gathered. As he passed through the crowd he raised his hat and repeated several times "viva" for the Cuban nation. The people responded with cheers for Castro. The entire crowd followed the visitor, who drove in an automobile decorated with the Venezeulan colors to his hotel, where General Rafael Reyes, ex-president of Colombia, also resides.

REV. LLYOD MORRIS HAS REACHED LIMA.

Will Be the Chief Speaker at the St. David's Day Celebration Held Tonight.

Rev. O. Lloyd Morris, of Ypsilanti, Mich., former pastor of the First Congregational church, has arrived in Lima for the banquet and musical and literary evening, to be given this evening at the First Congregational church, in honor of the patron saint, St. David. Rev. Mr. Morris will remain until tomorrow and is being entertained at the home of Mr and Mrs. F. H Moore, of east Market street.

A splendid chicken dinner, such as the ladies of the First Congregational church are capable of preparing, will be served, beginning at five o'clock, lasting until seven. The small price of 35 cents will be charged and tickets will be honored for the entertainment which follows in the auditorium of the church. The dinner will be served in the basement.

Aside from Rev. Mr. Morris, talented local men will speak. Thomas H. Jones is president of the society, under whose auspices the celebration is held.

JOHN JACOBS CALLED HOME

Pioneer of This County Was Summoned by Grim Reaper.

DIED LAST NIGHT AT SON'S HOME.

Funeral Services Will be Held Friday at 11 O'clock.

The life of another pioneer of Lima and Allen county came to a silent close last evening at 6 o'clock, with the passing of James J. Jacobs The end came quietly and peacefully at the home of his son, Warren Jacobs, at 534 east Eureka street.

The deceased was born in Warren county, Ohio, on the 15th day of March, 1825, being at the time of his death, nine months more than 87 years of age. He was the son of John and Eliza Jacobs, and came to Allen county about 50 years ago. He first settled in Perry township where he lived for some time later removing to Auglaize township. Here he remained until 1899, when he removed to Lima. Here he has lived since

His death last evening was the direct result of the general debility of old age. He has been in a critical condition for the past four days. During the earlier years of his life he was actively engaged in farming, but some time ago, out of consideration of his years he retired, and has not confined himself to any business since that time.

Left to mourn the loss of this veteran besides the host of friends who loved and admired him there are three sons, Warren and Andrew Jacobs, of Lima, J C., of Auglaize, and one daughter, Mrs Sallie Rheinhart, of Warren, Ohio. The funeral services will be held on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the residence of the son Interment will be made in the Fairmont cemetery. Rev. Eckhardt will conduct the services.

DECISION IN HIGH COURT

Are of Peculiar Interest to People of This County.

THREE APPEALS IN LOCAL CASES.

Damage Case and the Herrman Cases to be Heard Tomorrow.

There will be three cases before the Supreme Court of the State tomorrow that will be of particular interest to the people of Lima and Allen county The first is the appeal in the case of Thomas Johnson against the Lima Locomotive Corporation. This is a damage case that was brought against this company by a former employee, who the petition alleges, was injured by being hit on the head by several falling pieces of iron that had fallen from a crane. The plaintiff through his attorneys, Armstrong, Light and Shappell brought suit against the company for ten thousand dollars. In the hearing of the case in the common pleas court they were awarded two thousand dollars The case was carried to the circuit court and the verdict was there affirmed. The defendants through attorneys Prophet and Eastman have carried the case into the supreme court.

Following this will come a double hearing before the supreme court on two of the cases appealed from Allen county. These are the cases of the State of Ohio against Joe Herrman, and the State of Ohio against J. C. Herman. It will be remembered that these are cases that were brought in the court of the mayor of Bluffton; and concerns the alleged sal of intoxicants within dry territory. Both of these defendants were found guilty in this mayor's court. When the cases were appealed and brought before the Allen County Common Pleas court, both of the verdicts were reversed. They were then appealed to the circuit court, and here the common pleas decision in the case of Joe Herrman was affirmed, while that in the case of J. C. Herrman was reversed. Thus Armstrong, Light and Shappell, the attorneys for the Herrman's are appealing the case of J. C. Herrman to the supreme court, and Welty and Downing, the attorneys for the state, are appealing the other case. Since two are so closely related, they will be heard at the same time.

Children Cry
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'LITTLE BOY BLUE' SCORED BIG HIT.

Performance at Faurot Last Evening Easily One of the Best of the Season.

"Little Boy Blue" blew his horn at the Faurot Opera House last evening, and today every man, woman and child who had the good fortune to be numbered in the large audience that witnessed the production is "blowing the horn" of Henry W. Savage, Otis Harlan, Kathrya Stevenson, John Dunsmure, Maude O'Dell, and every one else who had even the slightest to do with the finished and highly entertaining performance of last evening.

The Faurot has housed a number of stellar attractions during the the present season, but when a review of the season's attractions is made, "Little Boy Blue" will have to be awarded a front place in the list of genuinely meritorious productions. In fact, the large majority of the audience last evening voted it the best show of its kind that has been presented at the Faurot for several seasons.

The performance, which was all the more pleasing because of its originality and novelty which distinguished it from the usual run of musical shows, was divided into two acts and three scenes, and there was not a dull moment in the entire piece. It possessed all the requirements needed to make a musical play a success, good music, capable principals, a well grooned and singing chorus, plenty of action, and last but not least, an orchestra capable of interpreting the score, which contained any number of catchy airs and ensembles.

Otis Harlan had a part that just suited him, and he made the most of it. He had the audience "on his hip" from the time he first entered, and his work was hugely appreciated. He had the support of a clever company, every member of which registered a hit in his or her part. Encores were demanded repeatedly, and it was unusually late when the curtain finally rang down on an evening of wholesame amusement.

Lottie Engel, who deserted the company last Saturday to wed a Chicago man, was not missed in the part of Daisy, so cleverly played by Miss Stevenson The balance of the company were in the original company that presented the piece at the Chicago opera house this season.

Several Chicago critics and disgruntled actors, who have been flooding the newpaper offices along the route of "Little Boy Blue" with adverse criticisms of the show, prompted for no other reason than that the great producer had the courage to defy those critics who seek to furnish amusing "reading" for the public instead of honest criticism, could better occupy their time contributing to the funny columns of the Windy City papers. Besides, a large amount of postage unnecessarily spent, could be saved

PETTY GRAFTING.

Batavia, O., Feb. 26.—William Glancy, former director of the county infirmary here was sentenced today to serve one year in jail. He was convicted of aiding in the presentation of false vouchers in infirmary accounts. F. M. Ridings, also a former infirmary director who pleaded guilty to the same charge was fined $5. Judge Davis who pronounced the sentences announced he would order a further investigation into the charges against William A. Brown. The case of Lou Fomorin, also an infirmary official was ordered continued.

DID'T BLAME HIM.

Springfield, O., Feb. 26.—While attempting to break into the safe of the Aetna Coal Company, last night, John Liggins, an ex-convict, was caught and shot in the arm by Patrolman Condron. At police headquarters Liggins told Condron he did not blame him for shooting him

"If I had had a gun I would have got you," he said.

Liggins was sentenced for life for murdering a man near Urbana After 13 years he was pardoned Recently he was arrested for carrying off a chewing gum machine.

ARRANGE FOR BIG MEETING.

Grain Dealers and Producers at Toledo, Friday, February, 28th.

Final arrangements for the big meeting of the Tri-State Grain Producers and Dealers Association Friday, February 28th, are being perfected and it is believed that this one will be one of the most interesting and instructive meetings they have ever held. T. P. Riddle, the secretary of the Association is in Toledo today on business pertaining to the meeting. The Agriculture Boosters' banquet which takes place in the evening at the rooms of the Toledo Commercial club, given jointly by the Toledo Commercial club and the Toledo Produce Exchange, promises to be not only very enjoyable but also instructive.

NEW HEAD CLERK AT HOTEL WALDO.

Harold Moore, Former Manager of the Norval, Takes New Position March 1st.

Harold Moore, former manager of the Hotel Norval, has accepted a position as chief clerk at the Hotel Waldo, and will assume his new position March 1st. He succeeds George Shultz, who will accept the position of night clerk at the Hotel Manhattan. Norman Funni has resigned his position at the Manhattan in order to accept a position as clerk in the cigar store on west High street recently purchased from Charles Bourke by Walter Altschul.

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Something Crooked

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"He looked at me rather queer and asked:

"'What did you say you got for Thaw?' I replied that I had received a retaining fee of $25,000 but that I would have to return half of it January 1.

"'Where do I come in Russell then asked me. 'What do you mean? I replied. 'Well,' he answered 'I got the case for you, didn't I? And even if my job as superintendent does pay $10,000 a year, I would do anything for Thaw unless I got money for it.'

"I didnt' care what Russell had in his mind for I knew he could release Thaw, but could only make a favorable report. He had already stated in open court his opinion as to Thaw's mental condition and realized that if he made a favorable report now that the matter would go before the attorney general I didnt' believe any judge would release Thaw unless there was some other reason than Dr. Russell's report to say so.

"Shortly afterward Dr Russell asked me if I 'wouldn't be satisfied with $5,000?'

"By this time," declared Anthony, "it began to look as though I was going to hold the bag, and was getting to get little or nothing out of what I had thought was going to be a beautiful law-suit.

"If Dr. Russell had in his mind that he was to receive any money such a proposition was not in my mind Although he had recommended me to Thaw. I would not even give him a Christmas present, because it might look like a bribe.

"When I saw that Dr Russell wanted money I dropped the subject and left him. I had no further communication with him."

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. [illegible] Sherrick, of north Collett st members of the Progressives' [illegible] poned their meeting yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Sherrick is suffering from a severe case of rheumatism making it impossible for her to walk.

The delightful little tea, given by Miss Helen Wemmer, as a compliment to Miss Ruth Jane Kerr, a bride-elect of the latter part of the month has been postponed until Friday afternoon, when Miss Wemmer will entertain. The Elks' home will be [illegible]ted.

Mrs. Laverne Hardesty, of [illegible] Elm street, will be hostess this evening for the members of the [illegible] class, taught by Mrs. Eva [illegible] Members are urged to be present.

Lima lodge, Knights of Pythias, have arranged for another of their enjoyable socials, to be held Friday evening at Pythian temple. There will be dancing and cards and supper will be served at 10:30 o'clock. Music will be furnished by a special did group of musicians. Members and their ladies will be very welcome.

Harry E. Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lee, of 435 Prospect avenue and Miss Ada Dawson, of Wapakoneta, were united in marriage [illegible] Rev A. E. Hayes officiated. The young people will make their home in Lima. Mr. Lee is a miller by occupation.

AGED MINISTER DIES.

Findlay, O., Feb. 26.—Rev. J. H. Morrison, 76, the oldest living minister of the Central Ohio conference, is dead at his home here. He served throughout the civil war and presided over churches in several counties in this section.

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PENCE PROPOSES REAL LOVE FEAST FOR BOARD

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Rev. Miller Not in Harmony With Idea of His Opponent.

JUDGE MILLER ELECTED MEMBER

Successor to McClain Rated as a Pence-Davison Supporter.

Meeting Last Night Marked by Personal Jibes by Members.

Chief S. A. Earnst of the Lima police department established a precedent that seems destined to become common when he arranged a love-feast to soothe the disgruntled members of the department soon after he was promoted from the post of captain to chief of the department.

Dr. J. C. Pence, who once more led his faction to an overwhelming victory in the election of a successor to Charles E. McClain as a member of the board of education, last evening, and later succeeded in having himself named as president of the board to succeed McClain, is the latest public official to follow the police chief's example.

After defeating his opponents on the board at every turn of the road last evening, the genial doctor proposed as a sop to his vanquished foes, a free supper "with all the trimmings" at the Elks' home next Friday evening, the expenses of which will be borne by himself and George W. Muntis, the clerk of the board.

One member of the board, however, will be among the missing when the noses are counted around the festal board, if he adheres to his declaration expressed in reply to Dr. Pence's invitation last evening. Rev. I. J. Miller, leader of the minority, and an uncompromising foe of Dr. Pence, took occasion to inform the new president in no uncertain terms that he would not be among those present at the hastily arranged consolation supper.

"It is all very well for a man on top and who has squeezed the life out of those who have dared to oppose him to propose a love-feast when the other fellow is down. But I want to see him prove the sincerity of his statement by fair dealing and open and above board tactics before I become a party to any 'get together' meeting."

Not in the least daunted, and wearing his usual suave smile, the genial doctor informed his colleague that a cab would be sent for him and that he would be expected at the banquet.

Further personalities were prevented when some one hastily moved to adjourn, although the wordy clash between the members of the opposite factions on the board continued after the board had adjourned.

Judge Miller Elected.

All prospects of a deadlock over the election of a successor to McClain were removed when Judge A. D. Miller, a democrat, was unanimously elected by the five republicans and one democrat on the board to the vacancy.

Judge Miller was placed in nomination by Rev. I. J. Miller, while Dr. A. S. Rudy seconded the nomination. A motion to have the clerk cast the entire ballot of the board for the candidate carried by a unanimous vote. Judge Miller, who was present, was declared elected, and took the oath of office at once, City Solicitor Jackson administering the oath. He took his seat with the board, and participated in the deliberations for the remainder of the evening.

The First Clash.

Just when it seemed as if the meeting had resolved itself into a harmony gathering, a clash was participated in the election of a president to succeed McClain. Dr. Rudy nominated Rev. I. J. Miller, and Faust named Dr. J. C. Pence.

Tellers were appointed to canvas the result of the election, which was by secret ballot. Pence received four votes, and Miller three. Dr. Pence, who acted as president in the absence of McClain, declared himself elected a permanent president of the board.

The election of Pence prompted Rudy to burst out in a frenzied attack on the successful candidate, who in closing, moved to elect Pence as president, vice president, secretary and chairman of all the committees.

Dr. Rudy based his argument against Pence's selection on the fact that Pence already held the office of vice president, and that parliamentary law forbade one member holding two offices. Rudy also criticised McClain for resigning after the people had elected him, and declared that there was something unusual about the affair which led him to believe that some sinister motive was behind it all.

Dr. Pence attempted to appease his colleague by declaring the office of vice president vacant. Rudy declared that such an act was out of order, and could not be legally done. After considerable bantering, Rev. Miller proposed that Pence resign the office of vice president of the board, to which he was elected at the organization of the board last January.

Judge Miller, the new member, also advised such action, and Dr. Pence tendered his resignation verbally to the board. Rev. I. J. Miller was then placed in nomination by Faust, and elected unanimously.

President Pence's first official act was to name Judge Miller to take his place on the various committees to which he had been appointed by former President McClain. This includes the chairmanship of the text book and supplies committees, and membership on the finance, teachers and salaries, and law and contract committees.

Miller With Pence Faction.

If the events of last evening are to be taken as a criterion Judge Miller, the new member, leans toward the Pence faction in the board and also favors the administration of Superintendent Davison. While the ballot for president was a secret one, it was authoritatively learned afterward that Members Gensel, Rudy and Rev. Miller voted for Rev. Miller for president, and Pence, Faust, Muntis and Judge Miller for Dr. Pence.

Superintendent Davison had no written report to make to the board last evening, but he submitted the request of Prof. Monk, teacher of manual training in the schools, for a raise in salary. Monk has been drawing $50 per month, and thinks that he should be raised to $60.

President Pence ordered a recess of five minutes to permit the teachers' and salaries' committee to report on the matter. Chairman Faust, speaking for the committee, reported adversely on the request, which report was adopted by the board. The reason given for the committee's action was that there was not sufficient money in the treasury to permit the additional raise in salary.

Bids Submitted.

The bids of the Wentworth-Dean Company and Harry Tibbott for furnishing and installing the electrical equipment for the addition to the high school building were opened and read. The bids were referred to the building and repairs committee with instructions to report at the next meeting.

The bid of the Wentworth-Dean Company was $662, and that of Tibbott, $710. The contract will probably be awarded to the lowest bidder.

The regular monthly bills, including the salaries of the teachers and janitors, were allowed by the board, upon motion of Chairman Gensel of the finance committee.

Architect Leech, who has the supervision of the repairs made at the College building, recommended that there should be a two-inch service water line run into the building, as the present three-fourths-inch line is inadequate for the purpose. The matter was referred to the building and repairs committee.

President Pence recommended that the building and repairs committee get together on the matter of the heating plant for the high school addition. He said that it had been the custom for the heating concerns to tell the board what should be installed, and that this time the board should tell the companies what it wanted.

Rev. Miller stated that he favored the installation of an entirely new plant to furnish heat to both the high school and the Franklin building and that such a move would mean a saving of money in the end. No action was taken by the board.

All members were present except President McClain, who ceased to be a member a few moments after the meeting was called to order.

Loyal Federals Who are Guarding the National Palace in Mexico City

The photograph at the top shows a troop of General Huerta's cavalry, which has been doing picket duty in the streets near the National Palace in Mexico City. These men were active in checking the advance of the rebel forces during the first attack on Madero's stronghold. The lower snapshot shows Lieutenant-Colonel Rubino Navarette (the horseman) hurrying a field piece to an unprotected corner of the National Palace. Colonel Navarette is in charge of the federal artillery, and has the reputation of being the most capable artillerist in the Mexican army.

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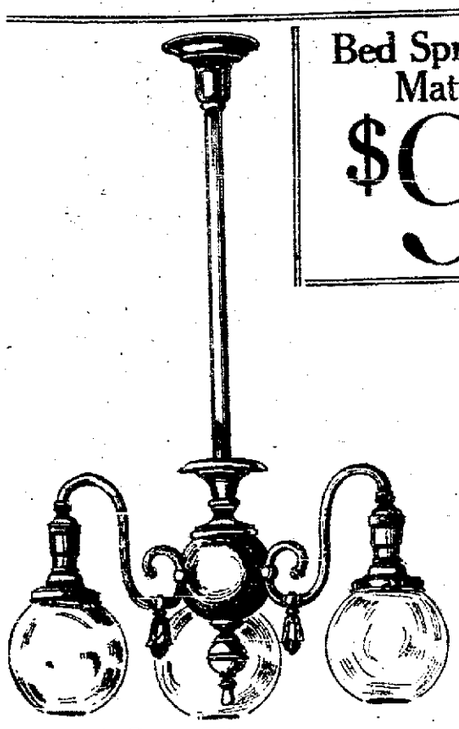

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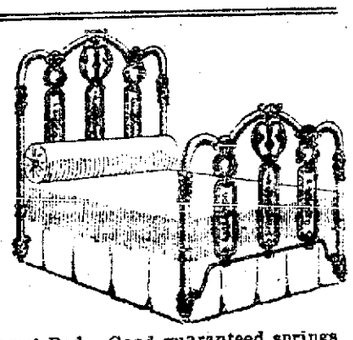

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Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 26.—It will be a misdemeanor in this state to give to a customer a finger-bowl that has not been "thoroughly cleansed" since its last preceding use if a bill passed by the lower branch of the Pennsylvania legislature last night becomes a law. The measure, which is known as the "pure finger bowl bill" was defeated a week ago, but was offered again last night. After G. W. Richards, a member from Allegheny county had pointed out some of the dangers to public health through careless handling of the bowls by hotels and restaurants, the bill passed by a vote of 144 to 47.

OUR WANT ADS DO THINGS.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Lima Lodge, No. 91, K. of P., will hold their regular meeting Wednesday evening Feb. 26th. A large attendance is desired. A ladies' social will be held Friday evening, Feb. 28th. All Knights of Pythias are extended an invitation to attend.

All members of Lima Lodge No. 91 are requested to see Bro. F. L. Butler at the Central drug store as soon as convenient on business of importance.

Here is a message of hope and good cheer from Mrs. C. J. Martin, Boone Mill, Va., who is the mother of eighteen children. Mrs. Martin was cured of stomach trouble and up. Don't be weak, sickly or ailing constipation by Chamberlain's Tablets after five years of suffering, and now recommends these tablets to the public. Sold by all dealers.

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Why the Little Red Schoolhouse Fails. A frank but helpful criticism of rural schools, written by Ware J. Hibbard after years of personal experience as a country school-teacher. He shows exactly what is wrong with rural schools and how that wrong can be remedied.

The Man Who Made Good. He's J. E. Fitzgerald, and the big secret of his success is: "It doesn't pay to raise things to suit your fancy altogether; raise things to suit the buyer's fancy." If you are a market gardener or in any way interested in this end of agriculture, Mr. Fitzgerald's article will help you to make more money.

An Ex-Slave's Miracle Crops. The United States Department of Agriculture has just issued a Bulletin telling of the marvelously large crops raised by an ex-slave on a two-acre farm But Bulletins, like coins, have two sides; this article, by Barton W. Currie, shows the "other side" of this remarkable Bulletin.

Simple Accounts For Farm Business. "For want of a nail * * * * the kingdom was lost and for want of a sound system of keeping accounts many a once valuable farm has been lost. To help you avoid just such a pitfall, Morton O. Cooper, an expert farm accountant, has worked out a simple but practical system for keeping farm accounts.

Breeders Who Make New Breeds. Years of effort on the part of enterprising and progressive farmers and scientists in developing new and better breeds in plant and animal life were announced at the annual convention of the American Breeders' Association, held recently at Columbia, S.C., and this week's issue contains an article telling just what these breeders have accomplished and how their achievements will benefit farmers and stockmen.

Correcting Concrete Silo Troubles. An important article showing why concrete should be used in building such permanent structures. Common dangers that should be avoided are also pointed out.

Mushrooms at Home. The market for mushrooms is always good, but the supply of mushrooms is never up to the demand. This article, by S. L. de Fabry, an expert mushroom grower, shows just how to grow and market mushrooms.

Dairying On Rough Land. If you have a rough, broken portion of land that seemingly is useless, you had better read what Charles S. Phelps says about using just such land for pasturing dairy cows.

The Farm That Won't Wear Out Dr. Cyril G. Hopkins' (of the Illinois Experiment Station) final summing up of his series of articles on the "how" of maintaining permanent, successful agriculture. You will get the whole gist of this important series in this one article.

Odd Jobs for the Automobile. A fifteen-minute article by Charles E. T. Scharpa that shows how an automobile can be used on the farm to saw wood, thresh grain, churn butter and cut feed.

Concrete Corncribs. In one section of the country progressive farmers are building concrete corncribs. Why they have adopted this new form of construction and how the work is done is explained by William Walter Smith.

SPECIAL FEATURES FOR WOMEN

The Country Gentlewoman this week talks to the woman who is a victim of the "nagging" habit. It is critical, but helpful

Grandmother's Recipes are a number of good old-fashioned recipes that today are among the "lost arts" of the kitchen

The Country Woman's Clothes page gives a number of designs for waists that are attractive and yet practical and serviceable.

Keep Your Heirlooms, for old as they are, they are better than much of the present-day furniture, etc. Moreover, as Frederick Hewitt points out, they're worth money The antique dealer knows the value of your old furniture and so should you.

FOR POULTRY FOLKS ONLY

A Real Cure for Roup that cured 96 per cent. is explained by F. S Jacoby This new treatment has been worked out by the Ohio State University.

Hen Brooding, by W A Sherman, discusses the advantages of natural brooding over the manufactured brooder—a subject that is especially interesting and timely at this season of the year

Types of Wooden Hen is a timely article on the best style of brooder and the best way to use it. The author is A G. Phillips, a noted poultry authority.

The Congressional Calendar. This week THE OBSERVER discusses among a number of other things the new Democratic Committee on Public Lands of the House of Representatives, and the attitude of its members toward conservation.

The Crops and the Market. A weekly department written by one of the foremost financial authorities of the country, giving an agricultural-financial forecast that will be of the utmost value to every farmer, and business man having dealings with farmers.

Everyman's Garden. To the farmer who has a small vegetable patch for "family use"—to the suburbanite, too—the question of good soil and how to take care of it is vital. This week EVERYMAN'S GARDEN takes up this important question of garden soils.

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DREAD DISEASE OF TRACHOMA IS REPORTED INVADING THE U.S.

Infection Fought on All Frontiers Now Found in Interior.

Kentucky Mountaineers Who Live in Bad Surroundings Suffer Most.

FOLLOWING is the startling report made by the Survey, a publication of New York:

"An enemy which the United States has fought at ports of entry and on its far frontiers has suddenly appeared in our very midst. The dread invader is trachoma. Its victims we have long seen among Alaskan natives, our own reservation Indians and the immigrants at our gates. But now we find that the disease has stolen a march on us and made our own American stock its prey. The foothold it has gained puts it in a position to menace the nation.

"Down in the beautiful mountains of Kentucky live a people of the purest American ancestry. Stalwart, brave, enduring, unmixed with other blood, they show the sturdiness of the pioneers who followed Boone to the virgin wilds beyond the ranges. The mighty train of American development has swept by, leaving them sidetracked, forgotten, neglected, in the hills of their adoption, an unknown people in the midst of a busy, careless nation.

"The poorer among them live for the most part in small and sparsely scattered log cabins. Families number usually ten to fifteen members, all of whom eat, sleep and live together in the one room of the cabin. The common wash basin outside the door is often a large stone with a hollow in its surface, difficult to empty or to clean. To this each user contributes his share of germs. Hanging next to it is the large family towel, which is on duty for days in succession.

Live In Windowless Cabins.

"Cabins have no windows at all or small ones at best, and all openings are scrupulously closed at night in the winter time. Ventilation is of the poorest at any time. Close intermarriage, lack of even rudimentary sanitation and monotonous, ill suited diet predispose children to many ills, including tuberculosis and other infectious diseases. Ringworm of the scalp, uncorrected defects of vision, adenoids and enlarged tonsils and hookworm infection are common. The unkempt and neglected condition of these children is pitiable. Many are mentally backward and defective. The typical mountaineer, however, is usually intelligent and wide awake even though illiterate.

"The social and economic needs of these mountaineers of Kentucky, Tennessee, Carolina and Virginia are beginning to be recognized. But it has remained for Dr. John McMullen of the federal public health service to call attention to a most serious danger now menacing them. In a recent investigation he found trachoma present to an alarming and unsuspected degree and the blindness and defective vision resulting from it responsible for an incalculable impairment of social, economic and intellectual efficiency.

Trachoma a Communicable Ill.

"Trachoma is a communicable disease of the eyelids which, if untreated, usually progresses to blindness and practically always causes interference with vision. Among 4,000 persons examined Dr. McMullen found that 500, or 12½ per cent, had trachoma. From 8 to 18 per cent of the school children were affected. One of the important factors in the spread of the disease is the common family towel. Most of the cases receive no treatment, and each case becomes a local focus of contagion. It appears that the disease must be of long standing in these mountains and that it is getting progressively worse.

"Trachoma is chronic and persistent. Treatment for it must be long continued and carried on with unremitting care. To prevent its spread among the southern mountaineers Dr. McMullen emphasizes the need of a campaign to show the importance of sanitation, fresh air, clean homes and personal hygiene. Stereopticon lectures in public buildings and schools will help. Visiting nurses and social workers are needed to preach the gospel of sanitation in the individual home. Other social agencies must be organized to include the entire affected territory. Especially among school children cases of trachoma should be isolated. Schools must be properly lighted and ventilated.

Need of Public Clinics.

"Actual care and cure of existing cases offer the greatest problem. Public clinics ought to be established similar to the one now conducted by Dr. J. A. Stucky under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. settlement school at Hindman, Ky. Movable field hospitals in connection with these clinics could afford surgical treatment to cases requiring it. The same cases and territory should be covered periodically by district visiting nurses. Great patience and long continued effort, as well as much money, will be needed to eradicate trachoma from these mountains. But with perseverance and enthusiasm the task can be accomplished.

"Trachoma has been found most destructive among the American Indians, particularly among those leading a reservation life. In some of the reservations in the southwest trachoma is found in 65 per cent of the Indians. Over 6,000 Indians were treated in 1911 for trachoma, and at the trachoma hospital of the Indian service at Phoenix, Ariz., over 800 were operated upon and treated.

Diseases of Alaskan Indians.

"Dr. M. H. Foster in a report to the secretary of the treasury on Jan. 23 stated that of 1,364 Alaskan natives examined by him 15.6 per cent had some eye trouble, and 7.2 per cent from all parts of Alaska suffered from trachoma. In some sections of the southwestern portion of Alaska the disease was present in 25 per cent of the native population. Dr. Foster urged the great need of a government home for blind natives in Alaska and the provision of some trade or occupation to relieve their present pitiful condition.

"Among immigrants 2,504 cases of trachoma were certified in the fiscal year 1911. At Ellis island alone 718 cases were certified. Considering the pitiful conditions into which the disease throws its victims, the serious extent to which it is already prevalent in the country and its economic and social menace, effort to prevent the entrance of new cases and the establishment of new foci of contagion becomes imperative.

"Trachoma has been shown to be a public health problem of national concern. Prompt, persistent and energetic measures must be undertaken by local, state and national health officers to check its further spread and to eradicate it where it is already present."

PROPOSES TO DR. ANNA SHAW IN MIDST OF HER SPEECH

Suffragists' Meeting Thrown Into Chaos by Man's Bold Act.

A meeting of suffragettes at the Danielson theater, Danielson, Conn., recently was thrown into confusion when a farmer from Mechanicsville, who said he was John Frisbie, interrupted Dr. Anna Howard Shaw of the National Suffragette association in the middle of her address and coolly proposed marriage to her.

"Just a minute," cried Frisbie, interrupting the suffragette leader; "I have been a widower for eighteen years. Will you marry me and make me happy?"

Dr. Shaw was quite evidently unnerved and stood speechless for a moment or two. Then she recovered her faculties.

"I don't want a wedding ring. All I want is the vote," she cried dramatically.

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New London Man Wears Footgear For Years and Years.

Two years ago Alderman Charles E. Perkins of New London, Conn., had a pair of square toed shoes made. He treated the soles to a special preparation of tar. Then he wore the shoes steadily for six years.

After a few years' vacation they were brought out and saw daily use for three years Then Perkins had them topped and put them away. Now he's wearing them again.

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BREED OF HUGE RABBITS AFFECTS THE FUR TRADE.

Giant Bunnies Are Seen at International Farmyard Show at Paris.

The grand annual international farmyard show was held recently in the Grand palace of the Champs Elysees. It was the most important and interesting held for many years, containing 5,000 lots, exhibited by 900 producers.

A great feature of the show was the object lesson presented by a new race of gigantic rabbits of silver gray color, many of which weigh twenty-eight pounds and for breeding purposes fetch $20 to $30 apiece. These huge bunnies are revolutionizing the Paris fur trade for fashionable winter garments, muffs, trimmings, etc.

The best specimens of these wonderful evolutions of Br'er Rabbit are raised in Normandy and in Burgundy, and only a skilled expert can detect the difference between their skins and those of costly animals from Siberia and Alaska.

Never before either has such a rich variety of pigeons been seen in Paris.

The section of golden pheasants is one of particularly dazzling brilliancy.

Boy Traps a Wildcat.

Walter Scott, a fourteen-year-old schoolboy of Chapman, Kan., caught a wildcat in a trap which he had set on the banks of the Smoky river. The cat is thirty-nine inches long and stands fifteen inches at the shoulder. It is a beautiful brown, with black spots scattered about over its body. It was put on exhibition in one of the local cafes.

When Burton Holmes recently gave his celebrated travelogue on "Panama" at Orchestra Hall, Chicago, he was seriously interrupted by continual coughing of the audience. No one annoys willingly and if people with coughs, colds, hoarseness and tickling in throat would use Foley's Honey & Tar Compound, they could quickly cure their coughs and colds and avoid this annoyance.

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The rules are that Nat must go into a small city so far away from New York that the girls are not frequent visitors to the metropolis, whence all the young men of enterprise have gone away to make their fortunes in the city; where a chap of education and refinement will be appreciated. There, Nat must forswear drink and tobacco, become a moral decorum and probity, and, above all, go to church regularly, in the meantime getting employment in some store. The rules, strictly followed, Kellogg declares will within the specified time give Nat the chance to marry the daughter of the richest man in town Nat, in desperation gives his word of honor to observe the rules and accepts a final loan from his friend

He finds the ideal city, goes to work for nothing a week, for a poor druggist, uses his borrowed funds to get his employer out of debt, and, to his own astonishment, becomes a shrewd business man. The daughter of the richest man courts him and secures his promise to marry her. But, he discovers that he loves the druggist's daughter Then, by what may be termed a fortuitous combination of circumstances, his fiancee releases him and he finds his fortune in a happy marriage and the business he has built up in the drug store.

Such, in brief, is the story of "The Fortune Hunter" which will be presented at the Faurot tonight. The play pleased Lima audiences last season.

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FOR PROTECTION OF MANY VISITORS AT INAUGURATION.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Crowds attending the inauguration are to be well protected and cared for during inauguration week. Already more than one thousand husky-looking applicants for the position of special police have been filed with the superintendent of police and the work of picking out the eligibles was begun today under the personal supervision of Superintendent Sylvester. It is intended to have this force in working order by March 3 in time for the suffragists' parade.

The women and girl visitors also are to be cared for and safeguarded. The Young Women's Christian Association will have a special woman inspector to investigate the various boarding houses and hotels, selecting those suitable for women or young girls unaccompanied by male escorts. Funds for carrying out the work were raised by the association.

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PLOT FOLLOWED BY COUNTER PLOT MAKES IT AMUSING.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Beginning today the air of the national capital will be vibrant with feminine oratory for and against votes for women. In an effort to offset the effect of the anti-suffragist' mass meeting Friday, the suffragists tonight will inaugurate an elaborate series of meetings at which their most prominent and forceful speakers will preside.

The anti-suffragists profess to be more than delighted with the prospects for an enormous meeting Friday to protest against the campaign for the ballot. It is announced at their headquarters today that 15 states already have declared their intention of sending delegations. These are Massachusetts, New York, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, Rhode Island, Ohio, Wisconsin, New Jersey, New Hampshire, Connecticut, Vermont, Mississippi and West Virginia.

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BLUE LICK.

L. W. Roberts and family, of Lima, spent the latter part fo last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leedy, Jr., have returned rfom a visit with her parents in Virginia.

Mrs. Jonah Good, Mrs. I. W. Byerly, J. C. Elliott and Mrs. Alba Edgecomb attended the Farmers' institute at Bluffton, Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Early has returned from a visit with her son, William, at Bellefontaine.

Mrs. Sarah Byerly, Mrs. Mary Landes, Mrs. Grace Byerly and Mary Burns spent Wednesday with Nina Landes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonah Good visited Sunday with the J. C. Elliott family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leedy, Frank Landes and Misses Lizzie Roberts, Mary Burns, Anola Sheets and Blanche Landes were entertained at David Byerly's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bassett spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Bassett.

Mrs. Jacob Roush and son Virgil, of Lima have been keeping house for J. K. Roush, during Mrs. Roush's absence in Illinois.

C. G. Vore and family spent Sunday at Delmer Berry's.

Emmett Vores' children, who have been having the mumps, are again able to attend school.

The Literary and Box social was very successful at Blue Lick last Friday night. An excellent debate was given on "Woman Suffrage." The judges decided to give women the right to vote. After the debate a Box social was held which netted the school about $18, which they will use to purchase an organ and pictures for the school.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Vore spent Wednesday at Isaac Miller's.

Mrs. Olive McNett and children visited at Luther McNett's, Monday.

Mesdames Nina Landes, Sarah Byerly, Ella Early, Fern Koogler, Carrie Beery, Cynthia Elliott and Mary Landes spent Tuesday at I. W. Byerly's.

Wm. McNett has rented I. W. Byerly's farm for this summer. He will live in Jacob Fairburn's house.

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FOR SALE—Two lots on south Main street, near Fourth street, Lima O., $400 each. Adjoining lots sold for $500. Address J. B. Bowles, Yellville, Ark. *

FOR SALE—A fancy bay, three-year-old driving gelding that has been driven in and around Lima for one year and is quiet. Weight, 1,175. Reason I have bought a 29-time first prize winning high-stepping standard bred stallion that will go in the harness and serve a few of the best driving mares, at a price reasonable. New phone 2611-A. 8t2

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BETTER HASTEN AND DECIDE ON YOUR SPRING SUIT.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 26.—"A general strike of the 12,000 workers on women's garments in Boston will be declared within a few days probably within 24 hours" declared Abraham Mitchell, of New York, vice president of the Lady Garment Workers of America today.

Mr. Mitchell said it was certain the manufacturers would refuse the demands of the union for higher wages and shorter working hours. President Rosenberg of New York will arrive today to take charge of the situation.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

SALARY LIMIT SOURCE OF WORRY IN EASTERN CLUBS.

New York, Feb. 26.—Club owners of the International Baseball League are said to be facing a serious situation because of the enforcement of a new salary limit of $6,000 a month for each club as compared with $8,000 last year. With the exception of the Newark club, which has signed all its men, the entire circuit is reported in difficulties because of "holdouts," players generally demanding more rather than less salary.

The $6,000 salary limit is one fixed by the National Association of Minor leagues, and approved recently by the National Baseball Commission against the protests of President Barrow of the league.

F. E. Walting, a farmer living near Yukon, Mo., strongly recommends Foley's Honey & Tar Compound and says. "I have been advised by my family doctor to use Foley's Honey & Tar Compound for my children when there was a cough medicine needed. It always gives the best of satisfaction and I recommend it to others." Enterprise Drug Store.

A SEA MONSTER

By F. A. MITCHEL

Three-quarters of a century ago, while piracy had lost its vitality, it had not become extinct. All ships at that time were sailers, and pirates were usually long, low, narrow vessels, with rakish masts, and their character could often be discerned by the merchant vessels they preyed upon.

One misty morning a Malay pirate was lying at anchor near the coast of Japan when sounds were heard indicating the near presence of a ship. Then came a stentorian voice, "All hands for'ard to raise anchor!" The pirates did not know what that meant, for they did not understand English, but they listened for something that would indicate the nature of the neighboring vessel, which they could not see for the fog. Presently they heard a snorting that was unfamiliar to them and a stirring of waters as if a whale were beating them with his tail. Smoke, mingled with the mist, floated toward them.

The pirates wondered at all this, and the more superstitious among them, hearing the snorting and the lashing of the waters, thought they were near some sea monster which, like the dragons of old, vomited fire and smoke. But the pirate captain, hearing the familiar sound of a turning capstan, knew that a ship was near him, and if she were not a man-of-war he determined to make a prize of her. So he ordered his anchor hauled up in order to be ready to give chase the moment the fog lifted.

But the fog was in no hurry to lift. Nevertheless the leviathan, or whatever she was, continued to snort and swish her tail, the sounds slowly receding. The pirate, not willing to let her go without a better knowledge of her character, decided to follow. Since there was no breeze a boat was lowered, a hawser attached to it and the ship, and she was pulled along in the wake of the monster which threw back the waters with her tail, with which she seemed to be propelling herself.

Presently the fog thinned, and the pirates could discern a dim body ahead of them vomiting smoke.

"She's a mountain of a swan!" exclaimed one. "She's paddling with her web feet that take the place of sails."

"Whoever heard of a swan breathing smoke?" queried another, turning pale.

"Or squawking chug, chug, chug, chug?" said another.

By this time there was some wind, which blew the fog with it, and, though it did not render the form of the monster plainer, the captain, who had more courage than his crew, ordered sails hoisted that he might get nearer. He succeeded in approaching her stern, but the current of water she kicked back with her feet was stronger there, her snorting sounded louder, and the terrified crew protested so strongly against getting any nearer that the captain was obliged to drop back to a safer position.

"Suppose she should turn and blow fire at us!" exclaimed one. "She would burn us to ashes!"

"Or if she should come beside us and close one of her wings over us she would send us to the bottom."

At that moment the smoke from the monster ahead, veering, enveloped the pirate. Most of the crew fell on their knees, and the others, running to the halyards, let down the sails. The captain swore at them for cowardice, but his own features indicated fear. They dropped behind the mammoth swan, her chugging sounded more faintly, and at last they lost her altogether.

Half an hour passed, during which the pirate captain served a double dose of grog to infuse courage into his men, for he had heard voices and the turning of the capstan, and since danger far is much less terrible than danger near he had recovered and regained the belief that the sea griffin was in reality a ship. Then suddenly the fog lifted, and there on the starboard quarter was a ship. Her masts were puny things, not capable of carrying sails to give her a headway of five knots. But she didn't look like a ship any of them had ever seen. She had no sails set, and yet she moved. Indeed, a white line of foam extended astern from midship, and it appeared to the pirates at once that she was paddling with feet, not seen because they were under water. She was moving on a course that would take her directly across the pirate's bow, and the captain of the latter gave orders to hoist all sail and stand toward her.

The order was obeyed by the crew, which had been braced by the grog, and it looked as if she would be an easy prey, when suddenly from a column amidships poured forth a thick smoke that changed the situation. The pirate crew looked on with horror.

"It comes from her back!" cried a sailor, aghast.

"There's fire in her belly!" exclaimed another.

Then, right where that belly was supposed to be, there burst a glare that sent every pirate to his knees, praying to his God or his gods not to let the fire paddleship destroy him. But the captain seized the tiller to keep his ship on her course, vowing that he was ready to fight Satan himself and would make him walk the plank. But the wind fell, and the paddleship went on, her speed not a whit decreased, and he had the mortification to see her pass away unharmed.

The monster was the first ship driven by steam in the eastern hemisphere.

PERFECTLY LOVELY AFFAIR.

Washington, Feb 26.—Invitations have been sent to the governors of the various states and their wives to be the guests of honor at a reception March 3 by the District of Columbia branch of the Women's Wilson and Marshall league. The affair promises to be one of the features of inaugural week and official, diplomatic and resident society women are expected to be present.

MARKETS

LIMA MARKETS.

WHOLESALE PRODUCE.

Country Butter, lb.	30c
Lard, lb.	12c
Eggs, doz.	20c
Young Chickens, lb.	12c
Old Chickens, lb.	10c
Ducks, lb.	12c
Turkeys, lb.	18@20c
Geese, lb.	12c
Potatoes, bu.	45c
Apples, bu	75c@$1.00
Turnips, bu.	40c
Onions, bu.	60c

RETAIL GROCERIES.

Country Butter, lb.	35c
Creamery Butter, per lb.	40c
Lard, lb.	15c
Eggs, doz.	35c
Young Chickens, lb.	15c
Old Chickens, lb.	13½c
Ducks, lb.	15c
Turkeys, lb.	25c
Geese, lb.	15c
Potatoes, bu.	60c
Apples, bu.	$1.20
Turnips, bu.	60c
Onions, bu.	$1.00

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat, bu.	$1.05
Corn, per cwt.	70c
Oats, bu.	30c
Timothy Seed, bu.	$1.00
Rye, bu.	55c
Red Clover Seed, bu.	$9.50
Alsike, bu.	$10.00

HAY MARKET.

No. 1 Timothy, baled, ton.	$12.00
No. 1 Timothy, bulk, ton	$10.00
No. 1 Mixed, baled, ton	$11.00
No. 1 Mixed, bulk, ton	$9.00
No. 1 Cloved, baled, ton	$10.00
No. 1 Clover, bulk, ton	$8.00

LIVE STOCK.

Good Steers, 1100 to 1200 lbs.	6½@7c
Fair Steers, 900 to 1000 lbs	5½@6c
Heifers	5@6c
Calves	7½@8c
Bulls	5@5¾c
Cows	2½@5c
Lambs	6@8c
Hogs, heavy	8c

THE MARKETS.

New York, Feb 26.—Higher prices were established by most of the leading stocks at the opening today. The strong demand for Southern Pacific which was evident yesterday still existed and the prices advanced a point. Can preferred also gained a point and Reading and General Electric ¾.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Cattle—Receipts 16,500, steady, beeves $6.85@9.00; Texas steers $5.20@6.00; stockers and feeders $6.15@8.10; cows and heifers $3.25@7.50, calves $7.00@10.50.

Hogs—Receipts 44,000 weak; lights $8.25@8.50, mixed $8.25@8.50, heavy $8.10@8.50, rough $8.10@8.25, pigs $6.50@8.35, bulk of sales $8.35@8.50.

Sheep—Receipts 25,000 easy, native $5.25@6.80, yearlings $6.80@8.00; lambs, native $7.50@8.65.

CLEVELAND PRODUCE.

Cleveland, O., Feb 26.—Poultry, alive—Chickens, 15½@16½c a pound. Rest unchanged.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb 26.—Hogs—Receipts 2000, lower, heavies $8.95, heavy yorkers $9.05, light yorkers and pigs $9.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1500, steady, top sheep $6.85, top lambs $8.85.

Calves—Receipts 100, lower, top $11.00.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, Feb 26.—Reduced crop estimates in Argentina, caused wheat today to advance. There were also favorable reports from Russia. Offerings were light. The opening was unchanged to ¼ higher; May started at 93¼ to 93⅜, the same as Monday night to ⅛ up and rose to 93½@⅝.

Weather adverse to the movement from farms put strength into corn. May opened ¼ to ⅜c up at 52⅝ to 52⅞ and climbed to 53.

In oats there was considerable buying on account of the firmness of corn. May, which opened a shade to ⅛@¼ higher at 34½@⅜ to 34⅜@½, touched 34½.

Large receipts of hogs pulled down provisions. First sales varied from 2½ to 7½@10c off with May at $19.70@$19.77½ for pork, $10.60 to $10.62½ for lard and $10.45 to $10.47½ for ribs.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Feb 26.—Butter, firm; receipts 6,220 tubs; creamery extras 35½@36; firsts 33@34½; seconds 31@32½; creamery held firsts 31½@33; seconds 30@31; state dairy firsts 33@34.

Cheese, firmer; receipts 1,139 boxes; state whole milk held white specials 17½; do colored average fancy 17@¼; do white average fancy 16½@17; state whole milk winter white specials 16½; do colored average run 16; do colored average run 15½@16; Wisconsin whole milk twins fancy 16¾@17; do daisies fancy 17@½.

Eggs, barely steady; receipts 9,299 cases. Fresh gathered firsts 21@½; seconds 19½@20½; thirds 19.

CINCINNATI LIVE STOCK.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 26.—Cattle Receipts 650; steady. Steers $5.00@8.15. Heifers $1.50@7.40, cows $2.75@6.25; calves, steady, $5.50@10.50.

Hogs: Receipts 3,692, slow, packers $8.50@8.70; common sows $8.00@8.15; pigs and lights $6.00@8.60; stags $4.75@7.00.

Sheep: Receipts 125; steady, $2.50@5.25; lambs, steady, $5.50@9.25.

SUGAR MARKET.

New York, Feb. 26.—Raw sugar steady. Muscovado 89, test 2.98c, centrifugal 96, test 3.48c, molasses 89, test 2.73c. Refined quiet.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

Chicago, Feb 26.—Butter, steady, creamery 28 to 34½@35.

Eggs: Receipts 7,395 cases, at mark, cases included, 17¼@18, firsts 19½.

Cheese, easy, dairies 17@17¼, twins 16⅛@16½, young Americas 17, long horns 17½@17¾.

Potatoes, steady, receipts 29 cars Michigan 46@48, Minnesota 45@48, Wisconsin 43@48.

Poultry, firm, turkeys, dressed 21, chickens, alive, 14½, dressed 16, springs, alive 16.

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo, N. Y. Feb 26.—Cattle—Receipts 100, steady. Veals 100, active, $4.00@$12.00.

Hogs 2700 active, heavy $8.90@$8.95, mixed, yorkers and pigs $8.85@$9.00, roughs $8.00@$8.10; stags $6.00@$7.00, dairies $8.75@$9.00.

Sheep and Lambs—2400, lambs $6.00@$9.35, yearlings $5.00@$8.00, wethers $6.25@$7.00; ewes $3.50@$6.25, sheep mixed $5.00@$6.50.

CLEVELAND LIVESTOCK.

Cleveland, O., Feb 26.—Cattle—Receipts 100. Market steady.

Veal Calves—Receipts 150. Market strong. Good to choice $10.00@11.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1,000. Market strong. Choice spring lambs $8.75@9.00, fair to good $6.00@8.00, common $5.00@6.00, choice wethers $6.50@6.75, fair to good $6.00@6.25, choice ewes $5.75@6.00, culls and commons $4.00@5.00.

Hogs—Receipts 1,000. Market 10 to 15c lower. Heavies and mediums $8.75, yorkers and light yorkers $8.90, pigs $8.75, roughs $7.90, stags $7.00.

JOHN Q. THOMPSON HAS SUCCUMBED TO ACUTE URAEMIA.

Chicago, Feb 26.—John Q. Thompson, assistant attorney general who was stricken a few days ago with acute uraemia died early today. Physicians have been at his bedside since early last night when his condition became worse. At that time the patient entered into coma from which he was never aroused. Mr. Thompson arrived in Chicago last Friday from Washington, for a short stay on his way to his home in Canton, Kansas.

OHIO INCORPORATIONS.

Columbus, O., Feb 26. The Crestline Publishing Company, Crestline, increase $25,000 to $50,000.

The Bowling Green Motor Car Company, Bowling Green, increase $100,000 to $200,000.

The Alliance Bank Company, Alliance, increase $100,000 to $150,000.

The Neamons Hot Gravy Club, Cincinnati, Edward Kain and others.

The Cincinnati Re-Toe Last Company, Cincinnati, $20,000, C. E. Buchanan, Cecil C. Reese, Joseph Koebbe.

The Motto Club, Cleveland, Joe Motto and others.

The "Just" Tungsten Lamp Company, Cleveland, name changed to the Pioneer Electric Company.

The Crescent Brass Manufacturing Company, Cleveland, increase $10,000 to $25,000.

The Howard Club, Akron, James A. Cupp and others.

The Berg-Clark Electric Company, Cleveland, $5,000, Conrad Berg, William R. Clark, F. B. Evarts.

The Wauseon Produce Company, Wauseon, $10,000, Emerson Winegardner, Simon Short, Peter Eicher.

The Brooklyn Catholic Club Company, Cleveland, $5,000, M. F. Patton, W. J. Harding, Frank J. Recker.

The Toledo Canvas Company, Toledo, $10,000, W. R. Cunningham, Mabel B. Cunningham, Martin S. Dodd.

The Natusco Hat and Cap Company, Cleveland, $5,000, Everett B. Lausten, Edward L. Smith, J. E. Blackall.

The Scioto Publishing Company, Columbus, $10,000, William R. A. Hays, Willard L. Wolcott, E. Braguier.

The Machine Parts Company, Elyria, increase $125,000 to $250,000.

The Edna Equipment Company, Cincinnati, $10,000, John C. Herrmann, A. Bart Norton, William J. McCauley.

The Church of God's Fresh Air Home, Cincinnati, Thomas Hendershot and others.

The Abstract Oil and Gas Company, Mansfield, $1,000, D. Lester Zahniser, A. Jay Zahniser, H. Walter Mateer.

The Dunbar Realty Company, Cleveland, $25,000, William Dunbar, Carl W. Dunbar, C. C. Nims.

The Beaver Company, Canton, increase $2,000 to $3,000,000.

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NOTICE.

In the matter of the probate of the will of Michael E. Lyons, deceased. In the Probate Court of Allen County, Ohio.

To Mary Lyons whose last known place of residence was Toledo, Ohio, and Ethel Pugh, who resides at Needles, California, next of kin of Michael E. Lyons, late of Lima, Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio, deceased, you and each of you will hereby take notice that on the 2nd day of January, 1913, an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Michael E. Lyons, deceased, was produced in open court and an application to admit the same to probate was the same day made in said court.

Said application will be for hearing before said court at Lima, Ohio, on the 20th day of March A. D. 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., to which time said hearing has been by the court continued.

In compliance with an order of this court made February 24th, 1913.

FRED C. BECKER,
Probate Judge
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ATTACHMENT.

Larue & Coutris plaintiffs, vs. James Krict defendant.

Before G. W. Wirt, justice of the peace of Jackson township, Allen county, Ohio. On the 31st of January, 1913, said justice issued an order of attachment in the above action for the sum of forty dollars and twenty-eight cents ($40.28).

G. W. WIRT, J. P.

February 4, 1913.
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Caroline Coates deceased.

Albert Coates has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Caroline Coates, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 8th day of February, A. D. 1913.

JOHN N. HUTCHISON,
Probate Judge, Allen Co., O.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 15174
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Aragolia Knapp Vogelgesang Plaintiff, vs. Benton Gregg et al., Defendants. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of writ of sale, issued from the court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on Saturday, the 29th day of March, A. D. 1913, between the hours of 10 o'clock and 11 o'clock a. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in Lima Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Eighteen (18) feet in width off of the north side of inlot number sixty-one hundred and nine (6109), in Randolph Gregg's Addition to the City of Lima, Allen county, Ohio. Appraised at $20.00.

Inlot number sixty-one hundred and ten (6110), in Randolph Gregg's Addition to the City of Lima, Allen county Ohio. Appraised at $100.00.

Inlot number sixty-one hundred and eleven (6111), in Randolph Gregg's Addition to the City of Lima, Allen county, Ohio. Appraised at $50.00.

Inlot number sixty-one hundred and twelve (6112), in Randolph Gregg's Addition to the City of Lima, Allen county, Ohio. Appraised at $35.00.

Total appraisement, $215.00.

Terms of Sale: Said premises to be sold at public auction, at not less than two-thirds (2-3) of the appraised value, at the door of the Court House, in said City of Lima. Cash on day of sale.

F. MARION WATT,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, Feb 24, 1913.
Lippincott & Lippincott Plaintiff's Attorneys
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 15312.

Millard L. Heath, Plaintiff vs. Luther B. Tyson, Defendant. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of order of sale, issued from the court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Ex. Doc. 13 Page 15312 Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on Saturday, the 29th day of March, A. D. 1913, between the hours of 10 o'clock and 11 o'clock a. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number sixty-eight hundred and four (6804), in Park Side Addition to the City of Lima, Allen county, Ohio.

Appraised at $22.00.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

F. MARION WATT,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, Feb 24, 1913.
J. G. Herah; Stickle & Cessna, Plaintiff's Attorneys.
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C., H. & D. RY.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 8 Daily	2.15 a. m.
No. 2 Daily	7.10 a. m.
No. 6. Daily	12:00 noon
No. 4 Daily	4:39 p. m.
No. 10 Daily, runs to Lima only	9.26 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 7 Daily	2:55 a. m.
No. 11 Daily	5.25 a. m.
No. 1 Daily	8.50 a. m.
No. 5 Daily	12:15 p. m.
No. 3 Daily	3.53 p. m.

L. E. & W. R. R.

EAST BOUND.

No. 18 Daily Ex. Sunday	6:30 a. m.
No. 4 Daily Ex. Sunday	12:40 p. m.
No. 2 Daily	5:25 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 1 Daily	9:25 a. m.
No. 3 Daily Ex. Sunday	4:00 p. m.
No. 17 Daily Ex. Sunday, runs to Lima only	9:05 p. m.

D., T. & I. R. R.

NORTH BOUND

No. 2	12:05 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 1	2:35 p. m.

Both daily except Sunday

F., P. W. & C. R. R.

EAST BOUND.

*No. 24	1:14 a. m.
*No. 26	1.25 a. m.
*No. 6	7.06 a. m.
*No. 18	8.25 a. m.
*No. 16	1.27 a. m.
xNo. 52	1:56 p. m.
No. 22 All Pullman	3:22 p. m.
*No. 8	9:30 p. m.
*No. 2	10:29 p. m.

WEST BOUND

*No. 25	2:02 a. m.
xNo. 39	9:15 a. m.
*No. 23	8:57 a. m.
*No. 21	10:30 a. m.
*No. 9	2.39 p. m.
*No. 19	2.52 p. m.
*No. 11	7:01 p. m.

*—Daily.
x—Daily except Sunday.

CHICAGO & ERIE R. R.

(Dec. 8, 1912)

EAST BOUND

No. 8 Daily, N. Y. Ex.	5:40 a. m.
No. 222 Daily Ex. Sunday	8:00 a. m.
No. 226 Daily Ex. Sunday	3:15 p. m.
No. 4 Daily, N. Y. Lim.	5.00 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 7 Daily Chicago Ex.	1:40 a. m.
No. 227 Daily Ex. Sunday	9:20 a. m.
No. 3 Daily Chicago Lim.	11.57 a. m.
No. 233 Daily Ex. Sunday	7:20 p. m.

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MEEKS' DEATH DUE TO HEART FAILURE

CAUSED BY EXERTION AND SHOCK FROM ASSAULT.

Physicians Who Conducted Post-mortem Submitted Report Today

AT INQUEST HELD BY THE CORONER.

They Later Testify at Hearing, Substantiating the Written Report.

Coroner Will Announce His Verdict Some Time Saturday.

Heart failure, caused by the exertion in running away from his assailant and the shock produced by the unexpected assault upon him by Paul Ashton, was responsible for the death of Samuel Meeks, the aged Civil war veteran, who was found in a dying condition by the police near the corner of Spring street and Central avenue early Saturday evening.

That, in substance, is the report made to Coroner Curtiss by Drs. Thomas, Woodock, and Burton, who conducted the post-mortem examination at the Whitley morgue last Sunday morning. The three physicians later testified to this effect at the coroner's inquest, held this morning in Dr. Curtiss' office on south Main street.

In the opinion of the examiners, none of the blows administered by the youthful rowdy, now a prisoner at the county jail charged with the murder of the old veteran, were sufficient in themselves to cause death. No evidence of bullet wound was detected at the autopsy, and there were no fractures that would be serious enough to cause the death of a normal man.

The report of the physicians, which was signed by all three of them, is couched in medical language, and is quite exhaustive in its scope. The gist of it, however, is that Meeks was possessed of a degenerated heart, while the coronary arteries leading from the heart were so hardened that any violent exercise or undue motion would likely have been followed by death.

While Coroner Curtiss refused to comment on what his decision would be until he had been given time to examine the stenographic report of the evidence introduced at the hearing this morning, still it is but natural to assume that he will render a verdict in accordance with the findings of the three men appointed by him to hold the autopsy, which was to the effect that Meeks' death was due to heart failure, caused by the shock and exertion produced by an unprovoked assault.

May Help Accused.

The coroner's verdict may have a tendency to modify the charge against young Ashton, although the fact that Meeks was in poor physical condition is not an extenuating circumstance in the eyes of the law. Opinion is general that the accused youth will be charged with manslaughter, conviction on which charge means a term of from one to twenty years in the state penitentiary

No New Evidence.

Practically the same witnesses testified at the coroner's inquest as were placed on the stand at the preliminary hearing before Mayor Shook last Monday afternoon. No new evidence of an important nature was unearthed, and the hearing was in the main a repetition of the preliminary hearing before the mayor.

The only evidence that might be construed by the defense as important was brought out in the testimony of H. C. Dixon, of Bluffton, an eye-witness to the assault, who testified that he heard Meeks say after he had been knocked down by Ashton, "Don't hit me, I don't mean to start any trouble." Dixon did not include this statement in his testimony at the hearing before the mayor.

Other witnesses examined by Coroner Curtis were Chief Barnst, Acting Captain McCoy, and Patrolmen Stewart and Blair of the police department, and Frank Robinson, Mrs. Ida Lamphar, and Peter Fisher, all eye-witnesses of the assault. Their evidence was practically the same as given at the preliminary hearing.

Assistant Court Reporter Walter Bowman took a stenographic report of the inquest, and stated that he would be unable to have it transcribed before Saturday, as he would be occupied in court during the interim.

The report will be given to Coroner Curtis some time Saturday, and he expects to render a decision as soon as he has had ample time to digest the evidence.

TO ASSIST PASTOR OF COLUMBUS CHURCH.

Rev. M. B. Fuller Will Preach in Broad Street Church Every Evening This Week.

Rev. M. B. Fuller, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, has gone to Columbus, where he will assist Rev. H. W. Kellogg, pastor of the Broad Street Methodist Episcopal church, in services which will be held throughout the week, following up the meeting held by the Rev. William A. Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Fuller will fill the pulpit of the church at each evening service the remainder of the week.

EIGHT SPEEDERS HAVE BEEN FINED.

Two More Paid Penalty for Fast Driving in Mayor Shook's Court Today.

Two more speeders were arraigned and fined in Mayor Shook's court this morning, making eight in all that have paid the penalty for driving too fast within the last two days.

Elmer Roberts pleaded guilty to exceeding the speed limit with his automobile last Saturday, and was fined $10 and costs. F. G. Wagner, a motorcyclist, also pleaded guilty to a similar charge, and was fined $5 and costs. Both paid their fines and were released.

Two Drunks.

Two plain drunks, one a repeater, and the other a newcomer in the mayor's court, were also arraigned before the mayor this morning. John Hawkins drew the usual fine meted out to repeaters, $5 and costs, while Harry Nichols was given the minimum fine of $1 and costs.

NOTICE.

There will be a called meeting of all the ladies of Olivet church on Thursday evening after prayer meeting service. A large attendance is desired. Business of importance.

MRS. BERRY,
Pres. of Aid Society.

AID SOCIETY NOTICE.

The Ladies Aid society of the First Spiritualist church will meet with Mrs. E. A. McBeth, Brice avenue, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

This is the season of the year when mothers feel very much concerned over the frequent colds contracted by their children, and have abundant reason for it as every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality and paves the way for the more serious diseases that so often follow. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers. Enterprise Drug Store.

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FEEBLE MINDED NOT ALL LOCKED UP AS THEY SHOULD BE.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 26.—"There are from 9,000 to 12,000 people in this state who ought to be shut up in institutions for the feeble-minded," declared Dr Richard Cabot of Harvard medical school in an address before the Women's Municipal League last night.

"We confine only 1,200 to 1,400 feeble-minded now," he added.

Dr. Cabot said that weak-minded children were not yet thoroughly weeded out of the Boston schools.

Health Warning.

Chilled and wet feet result in congesting the internal organs, and inflammation of the kidneys and bladder, with rheumatic twinges and pain in back, generally follow. Use Foley Kidney Pills. They are the best medicine made for all disorders of the kidneys, for bladder irregularities, and for backache and rheumatism They do not contain habit forming drugs. Tonic in action, quick in results. Enterprise Drug Store.

"The proof of the pudding is in the eating." That's why people who eat Perfection Wafers once, eat them always. Three pounds for a quarter, or 10c per lb. at your grocers.

TO LOVERS OF MUSIC

Mrs. Adolf Hahn Sends a Little Message of Good Will.

IS DELIGHTED TO BE AGAIN IN LIMA

Back to Scene of Her Childhood, With Old Friends.

Mrs. Adolf Hahn, of Cincinnati, who comes here as artist in the recital to be given by the Women's Music club, Thursday afternoon at Trinity Methodist church, arrived in the city Wednesday evening and is with the Halter family on north West street. Mrs. Hahn spent this morning at the organ.

To The Times-Democrat when asked for a little message, she said: "Tell them how glad I am to be back in Lima, how I love your fair city and how much I love to return to the scenes of my childhood and my former friends. I hope they will like and enjoy our concert tomorrow. Mr. Pendery has a perfectly lovely baritone voice, beautifully cultivated, and all who attend will enjoy a treat."

Mrs. Hahn, although the recipient of much social and musical attention in the Queen City, where she numbers her friends among leading artists by the score, is still the sweet, little woman Lima citizens remembered her to be, when they knew her before her marriage, as Miss Mamie Davis, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Davis, of east Circular street.

Mr. Pendery is auditor of the Big Four railroad, and although he might fill every passing moment with musical engagements, he devotes his time to railroad work and sings whenever he may conveniently fill an engagement. He is the highest paid church singer in this part of the country. Mr. Pendery will arrive in Lima Thursday noon and leave again as soon as he has finished his program, probably on the 4 o'clock train for Cincinnati.

Mrs. Hahn will likely remain in the city until Saturday, going from here to Chicago.

Members of the Music club may bring a guest free. Gentlemen are very welcome to attend and there is every probability they will take advantage of the privilege to do so.

TONS OF BAD TEA INTO THE HUDSON BY FEDERAL ORDER

New York, Feb. 26.—A tea party by the federal government on the Hudson river is scheduled for March 3, according to announcement today that the customs authorities here have been authorized to dump into the river 20,000 packages of imported tea which did not come up to the standards Uncle Sam has set for that beverage. The tea weighs almost 100,000 pounds and belong to Carter Macey, an importer, who is fighting the proposed action of the government.

Mrs S. S. S., Van Buren St., Kingston, N. Y. (full name furnished on application) had such decided benefit from using Foley's Honey & Tar Compound that she shares her good fortune with others. She writes: "Foley's Honey & Tar Compound brought my voice back to me during a severe case of bronchitis and laryngitis. Oh, how many people I have recommended it to." Enterprise Drug Store.

GAY JOY RIDERS MEET SPECTRE ON ROAD TO ASYLUM.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 26.—Paul Harris, 45 years old, a wholesale liquor dealer, was instantly killed and John Schaeffer and Ernest Chambers were seriously injured early today when an automobile in which they were riding struck a telegraph pole on Asylum road in the northern section of this city. Harris, who was driving the machine, was thrown against the pole while the other two men were buried beneath the automobile at the bottom of a 15-foot embankment. Michael Finneil, the fourth member of the party, was thrown into some bushes and escaped serious injury.

GEORGIANA:
I don't like your cook book—it doesn't recommend Gold Medal Flour. BROGANS.

A LIBERAL OFFER

Anyone Can Try Samose, the Remarkable Flesh-Forming Food.

When one of the leading druggists in Lima tells you that he has a preparation which he so thoroughly believes in that he will refund your money if it does not do all that is claimed for it, it shows that the article must have unusual merits. It is in this way that the Melville Drug company are selling Samose, the remarkable flesh-building food

Samose is in reality a concentrated food, and restores life and vitality at once to the blood. It mixes with the ordinary foods and aids digestion; it extracts from the food that you eat the flesh forming and strength giving elements, building up the tissues and the general health

Any one can get a 50 cent box of this remarkable flesh-forming food, knowing that their money will be refunded if it does not increase weight and restore the system to health.

G. E. BLUEM

Wednesday, February 26, 1913. Weather—Rain or Snow

The 24th Annual Linen Sale

At Bluem's---"The Linen Store of Lima" Continues Throughout This Week.

This is an opportunity to replenish your Linen supply at much less than you usually have to pay. Our Linens are from the best firms—all pure linen—and all very excellent qualities. Many new patterns are being shown for the first time. You will be pleased with both the quality and the price. We urge that you select while all the choice designs are still here. Many of the bolts are growing less each day. We quote a few prices on yard goods. Many other special values in Linen Sets, odd Pattern Cloths, Lunch Cloths, odd Napkins, Huck Towels, Turkish Towels, Linen Crash, Bed Spreads ,etc.

Bleached Table Damask

Regular 75c Bleached Table Damask, all pure linen, 70 in. wide, **now 69c yard.**
Regular 85c Bleached Table Damask, 70 in. wide, **now 75c yard.**
Regular $1.15 Bleached Table Damask, 72 in. wide, **now 98c yard.**
Regular $1.25 Bleached Table Damask, 72 in. wide, **now $1.10 yard.**
Regular $1.40 Bleached Table Damask, 72 in. wide, **now $1.25 yard.**
Regular $1.50 Bleached Table Damask, 72 in. wide, **now $1.35 yard.**
Regular $1.75 Bleached Table Damask, 72 in. wide, **now $1.50 yard.**
Regular $2.00 Bleached Table Damask, 72 in. wide, **now $1.75 yard.**
Regular $2.25 Bleached Table Damask, 72 in. wide, **now $2.00 yard.**
Regular $2.50 Bleached Table Damask, 72 in. wide, **now $2.25 yard.**

Cream Table Damask

Regular 58c Table Damask, cream, all pure linen, **at 49c yard.**
Regular 75c Table Damask, cream, 72 in. wide, **at 68c yard.**
Regular 85c Table Damask, cream, 70 in. wide, **at 75c yard.**
Regular $1.00 Table Damask, cream, 68 in. wide, **at 89c yard.**
Regular $1.19 Table Damask, cream, 72 in. wide, **at 98c yard.**
Regular $1.50 Table Damask, cream, 72 in. wide, **at $1.35 yard.**

Odd Napkins

Odd Napkins, all pure linen, extra good quality, very specially priced for this sale at **$1.00, $1.35, $1.75, $2.00, $2.98, $3.50 to $4.25 per dozen.**

Special Values in Dress Silks At 59c, 75c and $1.00 the Yard

A very special value in Cachmier Charmeuse, a beautiful satin weave in a soft cachmimere finish; a rich, lustrous fabric for afternoon gowns, evening and party dresses, etc., in all the new light and dark shades, full 40 in. wide, and well worth $1.50, has been marked to sell **at $1.00 the yard.** And it is going fast at this price. Be sure to see it before it has all been sold.

Another special value in Satin Messeline, full 27 in. wide, in cream, white, black, navy, tans, blues, green, browns, gray and many other light and dark shades, is marked to sell at **59c yard.** Come before they are all gone.

One lot of Fancy Silks in checks, stripes, plaids and figured patterns, all excellent quality, 20 to 27 in. wide, well worth $1.00 and $1.25 yard, are very specially priced **at 75c the yard.** Dozens of shades and patterns from which to select.

New Wash Fabrics Now Ready

A magnificent line of Wash Fabrics in all the new weaves and colorings for Spring and Summer is now here. All weights and widths. A good time to buy and have your Spring sewing out of the way before warm weather.

Lupin's French Ratine, all the leading shades, a very popular fabric, 47 in. wide, and selling in the cities at $1.75 and $2.00 yard, our price, **$1.25 yard.**

Ramie Linens in all the popular shades, 36 and 48 in. wide, **at 39c, 50c, 58c, 75c and $1.00 yard.**

Aviation Linen Suitings, a beautiful new French fabric, in a non-crush finish, white and colors, 48 in. wide, shrunk ready for making up, **at $1.25 yard.**

New Silk Stripe Voiles and Chiffons in a big range of colors, **25c, 39c and 50c yard.**

Lupin's French Crepe Voiles, 48 in. wide, plain colors, **69c yard.**

New Woven Tissues and Flaxons in the new Spring styles, **25c and 29c yard.**

New Ginghams, Tissues and Madras, all the new work, a very large assortment, **at 10c to 50c yard.**

(Annex—First floor)

Women's New Spring Suits and Coats

Hundreds of Models Now Ready

Hundreds of models in Women's new Suits and Coats for Spring now await your early inspection. All the new and popular styles—and all of the Bluem quality. You are quite likely to want a new Suit or Coat for early Spring wear—and for Easter. They are here in good time for you to choose early, before the grand rush of the last week or two. The variety of styles and materials is ample enough for the most exacting tastes. Many in the new rough weaves, black-and-white effects, and new shades of blue, tans and browns. Prices to suit all purses.

G. E. BLUEM

Good News for Lima Housekeepers

The Big Store Grocery shows you how to make liberal savings in your weekly purchases of table supplies. Pure qualities, full measures, honest weights and prices always a little below what you will have to pay elsewhere—these combine to make the Big Store Grocery the most popular emporium in Lima.

See What Bargains Thursday Holds for You

Potatoes, fine Upland, cook dry and mealy, bu. 60c
Karo Corn Syrup—
25c bucket 19c
50c bucket 39c
13c Tomatoes, Dundee brand 10c
15c Canned Asparagus, Hillsdale Brand, sweet and tender 12c
10c Alaska Salmon, ¼ lb. flat can 7c
10c Kippered Herring, fine flavored, can 7c

10c Van Camp Hominy, best quality 8c
50c Searchlight Matches, per doz. 39c
5c Red Cross Ball Blueing, box 3c
5c Bob White Soap, bar 3½c
5c Lenox Soap, bar 3c
5c Lump Starch, best grade, 3 lbs. for 10c
10c Lilac Rose Glycerine Soap, bar 6c
5c Tripoli Scouring Soap, per bar 3c
5c Enameline Stove Polish, box 3c
10c Enameline Stove Polish, box 6c
10c Volcano, box 6c

Splendid Flour Bargain

Through a blunder on the part of the flour mill, we were sent 240 sacks of HOME PRIDE FLOUR instead of the brand we ordered. Rather than take it back, they made us a special low price and we are thus enabled to offer this high grade A-1 flour, every sack guaranteed, at

63c PER SMALL SACK.

This flour will go with a rush. Get a sack Thursday by all means.

Special Food Demonstration

For the next few days a special demonstration of MINUTE TAPIOCA AND GELATINE will be given. Visitors will receive full instructions for the preparation of these delicious desserts and will have an opportunity to sample them as well. Don't fail to stop at the demonstration booth.

Quality Meats for Thursday's Selling

See What You Save on Prime Cuts

Round Steak, elsewhere 20c, here 17c
Loin Steak, elsewhere 22c, here 18c
Porterhouse Steak, elsewhere 25c, here 20c
Chuck Roast, elsewhere 15c, here 12½c
Rib Boil, elsewhere 12½c, here 10c
Hamburg Steak, elsewhere 15c, here 12½c
Pork Chops, elsewhere 18c, here 15c

Lard (in pails)
45c 3-lb. pail 80c
75c 5-lb. pail 65c
$1.50 10-lb. pail $1.30

THE NEWSON-HAWISHER COMPANY

ONE INDICTMENT AGAINST EX-BANKER QUASHED BY JUDGE.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 26.—Common Pleas Judge Cosgrave has sustained a motion to quash the indictment brought by the last grand jury against N. S. Keith, former secretary of the Cincinnati Trust company, of which George B. Cox was president, and A. D Martin, of Chicago, former general manager of the Ford-Johnson company. At the same time he overruled a motion to quash the indictment against Keith and F. R. Williams, who was treasurer of the Cincinnati Trust company, charging them with "misapplication" of $100,000 of the funds of that bank. The indictment against Keith and Martin, from which they are released, charging them with issuing a false statement as to the condition of the Ford-Johnson company, of which both were officers. The indictment was knocked out on the ground that it did not set out the statement was false.

LYRIC THEATRE.

Tonight will be the last opportunity to laugh with the Barrett Players at their laughable presentation of the comedy "The Lottery Man" which has proven so popular at the Lyric theatre, and which has attracted such large audiences. For the last half of the week starting with a matinee Thursday the Barrett players will offer the comedy drama "The Call of the Woods," a play that will please all. Last performance of "The Lottery Man" tonight.

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